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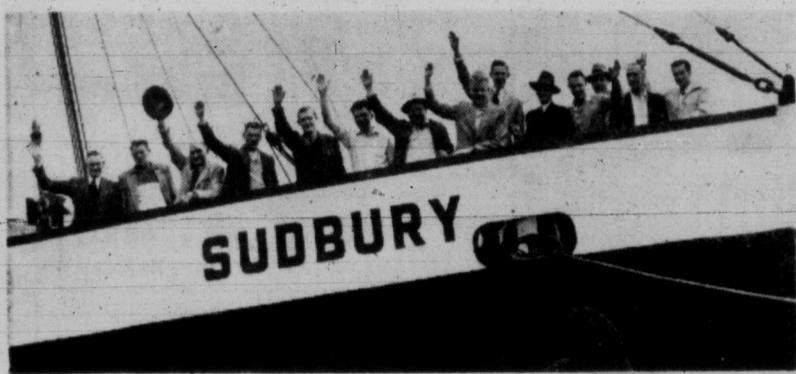
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## \$4 Million Fire in Winnipeg



### Victoria Towboat on Long Voyage

Ready to leave this evening on a two-month voyage down the North American coast is the crew of the Island Tug & Barge deepsea towboat Sudbury. The 205-foot former corvette will tow back a British-registered ship for repairs here. (See story, Page 13).

Shown are 14 of the 19-man crew, left to right, W. Hicken-Smith, Jack Daley, J. Shields, Jack Rusterholz, R. Van De Putte, J. Dirksen, W. Lucas, Ray Sunoboy, Herb Marmon, K. Sanberg, A. Armitage, A. Fisher, Albert Miller and R. D. MacDonald. (Times Photo.)

### 72-Mile-Hour Winds Wreak Manitoba Havoc

Power Lines, Trees Uprooted by Gales

WINNIPEG (CP)—Winds which came close to hurricane force snatched power and communications facilities away from southern Manitoba Monday and early today and then lifted roofs and uprooted trees as they lay in the dark.

Driving rains accompanied the winds, which fired gusts of 72 miles an hour. Hundreds of Winnipeg homes were left without electricity and telephone and telegraph lines were put out of commission.

Police cars answered calls to all parts of the city to stand guard over fallen wires.

Agricultural officials said some of the dry areas to the west of Winnipeg would have been churned into a giant dust-bowl except for the accompanying rain.

The winds, which switched from south to southwest during the night, also struck Ontario and the Kenora highway was littered today with broken poles, trees and wires.

**MUDDY ROADS**  
Aircraft at the RCAF station at Portage La Prairie, 56 miles west of Winnipeg, were called in as the wind became violent. On the ground, bus travel suffered as the rain turned rural roads into mire.

Damage estimated at several thousand dollars was caused at Winnipeg children's hospital when the winds tore metal sheathing from one section. The children's hospital was without power for nine hours. It has no auxiliary plant.

Fortunately there were no children in the iron lungs during the power cut-off, said J. E. Robinson, hospital superintendent.

To Winnipeg, the storm brought household chaos. With no power, people with electric stoves had no way of cooking breakfast, although one couple reported they managed to brew tea over candles.

One man was unable to drive to work because his garage door is operated by an electric control and he couldn't get it open.

The gales appeared to come in three peaks. The first was between 5 p.m. and 7 p.m., when gusts ranged up to 72 miles an hour. The second came around 12:30 a.m., the third about one hour later.

All night, police and fire departments were kept busy with telephone calls reporting fallen wires.

Trolley bus service in several parts of Winnipeg was discontinued when power wires were driven from their moorings. Railway and TCA officials reported most trains on schedule but bus service in Manitoba was severely hampered by the rain-swept roads.

No injuries have been reported yet, and damage was generally local. Several plate glass windows on Portage Avenue—one of Winnipeg's main streets—were knocked out by the winds. Several signs were torn from buildings and posts.

Heavy winds at Stony Mountain Man, about 12 miles north of Winnipeg, blew down about half of a closed-in skating rink, causing damage estimated at \$12,000. Debris from the collapsing building landed on the roof of a nearby grocery store.



SIR EDMUND HILLARY

### In Excellent Health Sir Edmund Reports

NEW DELHI (Reuters)—A telegram signed by Sir Edmund Hillary, reporting himself "in excellent condition," reached the Indian capital today.

### Boilermakers Back at Work Tomorrow

Await Ruling On Suspension

Boilermakers will return to work at HMC Dockyard Wednesday morning after a five-day suspension imposed for a sympathy walk-out Friday.

They will pick up their tools again pending a final decision from Ottawa in the dispute over "dirty-money" pay.

Seven union welders on Friday morning walked off the job when refused "dirty-money" pay of time and one-quarter. They were suspended for five days on orders of Commodore B. R. Spencer, superintendent of Dockyard.

Later in the morning an additional 120 union men walked out in sympathy, and were also given five-day suspensions.

Dockyard officials said today the suspension was for five calendar days and not for five working days.

"When all the facts are in, in the present dispute, then we will take appropriate action," said Jack Coombes, business agent for Machinists, Fitters and Helpers (CCL) this morning.

Dockyard boilermakers were holding a general membership meeting this afternoon on the dispute.

### Bonner Orders Probe Into TV Company

VANCOUVER (CP)—Attorney-General Robert Bonner has ordered an investigation into the affairs of Industrial Radio-electric Enterprises Ltd. and 13 related companies.

The inquiry was ordered under the British Columbia Securities Act following complaints received by the B.C. Securities Department.

The investigation will be conducted by Robert F. Gardiner, a chartered accountant.

IRE manufacturers of television sets, started bankruptcy proceedings last week following the opening of a series of court cases under B.C. labor laws.

The company's plant on suburban Lulu Island was also placed under seizure by Sheriff S. F. M. Moodie on orders from Ottawa in connection with \$8,000 arrears in federal excise tax payments.

### 4 Buildings On Portage Destroyed

T. Eaton Building Threatened; Firemen Control Blaze After Seven-Hour Battle

(From CP and UP Dispatches)

WINNIPEG—Four large office buildings and a dozen business establishments today were destroyed in a fire which engulfed part of downtown Portage Avenue in a liquid pattern of flames.

Damage was estimated at between \$2 and \$4 million.

Not until seven hours after the fire broke out in the seven-story Time building could firemen class it as under control.

From the Time building—nothing but a shell and a pile of rubble—the flames boiled in three directions under a gale which hit Winnipeg with gusts of 70 miles an hour.

Westward it spread to two ladies' wear shops, a cafe and a billiard and bowling centre. Eastward it jumped Hargrave Street to sweep through Dayton's department store, another cafe and a finance company of office. Northward it spread to the four-story Henry's building,

Wire services across Canada were disrupted by Monday night's storm in Manitoba.

Both Canadian Press and British United Press lost their national wires for several hours Monday night and again this morning.

CBC also lost its service to eastern Canada. Service was normal by noon today.

which houses a cleaning establishment, the office of the Royal Winnipeg Ballet, a furriers and a cafe.

### Intense Heat Cracks Windows

Destroyed in the main floor of the Time building were a musical supplies store, a men's clothing shop and a shoe store.

The flames jumped Portage Avenue briefly to start a fire in an upper-floor window of the eight-story T. Eaton department store but firemen were able to check the flames there.

Windows on that side of Portage—and it is probably Canada's widest main street—were cracked by the intense heat.

The wind helped start the fire and then fed it. The gale's force is believed to have caused a short circuit in an electric sign at the front of the Time Building.

The first alarm was turned in at approximately 1 a.m., CDT. Two others followed but for hours there was more fire than firemen and they looked small against the fury of the flames.

The miracle in the tumbling of walls, the smoke and the searing heat was the lack of any serious injuries. The only reported hospital casualty was fireman Nick Sullavella, who suffered glass cuts.

All three major buildings—the three-story Dinsmore block was the other one which fell victim to the flames—house an undetermined number of offices.

At mid-morning, Eaton's workmen began smashing windows facing the fire scene in search of possible signs of fire.

In another building a block north, firemen were reported hacking through the roof.

By 7:30 a.m. the fire was burning with comparative calm—there was little left for the fire

### No Cut Rate Wheat Price War Desired by U.S. or Canada-PM

OTTAWA (CP)—Prime Minister St. Laurent said today there is no desire by Canada or the United States to get into a cut-rate price war on sales of wheat abroad.

He made the statement in the Commons as Progressive Conservative and CCF members posed question after question concerning the decision of Canada and the U.S. to cut the price of wheat.

The U.S. cut export wheat prices 10 cents a bushel last Friday and Canada reduced her price by 10 cents Monday.

Trade Minister Howe also told the House that he expects exports of grain this year will be the third or fourth highest on record.

Opposition Leader Drew asked Mr. St. Laurent to make a statement of government policy on the market of Canada's surplus wheat.

Mr. St. Laurent said he is not in a position to announce any policy different from that followed by the government to the present.

SUGGESTS CO-OPERATE  
Hazen Argue (CCF-Assiniboia) suggested Canada and the United States co-operate on wheat sales abroad to prevent the present situation deteriorating into a price war.

Mr. St. Laurent said he could assure Mr. Argue that discussions between responsible representatives of the U.S. government and Canadian officials showed there is no desire on the part of Canada or the U.S. "to get into a cut-rate war."

Mr. Argue also noted what he described as an 83 per cent drop in barley exports during the four weeks ended May 26. He asked how Mr. Howe accounted for it.

Mr. Howe replied that he cannot say why buyers purchase in one month in preference to another but Mr. Argue should

recall that May last year was an exceptional month for shipments because Vancouver had been closed for 14 weeks previous due to a dock strike.

Mr. Howe also said figures given by Mr. Argue indicating wheat exports in the period dropped to 14,600,000 bushels from 35,400,000 last year are correct. However, exports during the last few weeks were not typical and were not discouraging.

Exports were exceptionally large in May last year.

BORN ON BLUSTERY DAY

70th Anniversary Of Times Tomorrow

Tomorrow, June 9, The Victoria Daily Times is 70 years old. Today it discovered that history has a strange way of repeating itself.

On the first publication day, June 9, 1884, elaborate arrangements had been made to bring world news into Victoria by telegraph service. But a violent storm in the northwest broke down communications and the first issue was almost entirely devoted to news of local events.

Today the hurricane-like winds sweeping the prairies put the national wire service of both Canadian Press and British United Press out of living here.

### Eisenhower Won't Ask Congress For Intervention in Indo-China

(From UP and AP Dispatches)

WASHINGTON—The United States does not plan to ask Congress for authority to intervene in Indo-China, Secretary of State John Foster Dulles said today.

Dulles told a news conference that the United States still has no intention of dealing with the Indo-Chinese situation alone unless the whole nature of aggression there should change. Open armed aggression by Communist China would be necessary to change the whole situation, Dulles added.

Dulles' statement came after key congressional sources had said earlier that President Eisenhower might decide in a matter of days whether to ask Congress for authority to intervene, with or without America's allies.

He said the reaction to the Eisenhower administration's call for a united front of Allied Nations has not reached the point of general acceptance that would make an appeal to Congress a matter of practical politics.

The United States, he said emphatically, has no intention of dealing with this problem single-handedly—unless the Chinese Communists launch a new military aggression.

### B.C. RATEPAYERS' GROUP GROWING

NEW WESTMINSTER (CP)—Surrey municipality Monday became the first mainland group to join the Federation of B.C. Ratepayers' Association, formed last month at Nanaimo. The action was taken at an organizational meeting of Surrey Ratepayers' Council.

### French Planes Blast Red Base 7 Miles From Hanoi

HANOI, Indo-China (UP)—French warplanes today destroyed a large Communist rebel troop and supply base only seven miles from Hanoi, blasting it with 50 tons of bombs.

American-made B-26 bombers dumped 1,000-pound bombs on the heavily protected base while fighter planes dropped smaller explosives with delayed action fuses.

The French high command said aerial photographs showed the base was "100 per cent destroyed."

The announcement was considered doubly significant because the French command had closed for the first time how near Hanoi Communist supplies and manpower had been advanced.

Black and yellow smoke from exploding ammunition stocks and burning rice supplies could be seen easily from the outskirts of Hanoi.

French infantrymen were rushed to the base, located at Seno, east of Hanoi, and reported meeting little opposition. They scrambled over smoking dugouts and caved-in slit trenches, killing 11 Red rebels who resisted their advance.

The high command announced also that a French Union force destroyed another Communist base only 7½ miles southeast of Hanoi but withheld details on this second action.

In another Red-River-Delta action rebel soldiers attacked the "important village" of Tanh, 25 miles west of Hanoi in a region densely populated by Indo-Chinese Catholics.

Catholic militiamen repelled the attack and killed 30 Reds, the high command said.

### ELY REPORTED ORDERED TO CONTACT VIET MINH

GENEVA (Reuters)—A French spokesman announced today that Gen. Paul Ely, newly appointed French commander-in-chief in Indo-China, had been instructed to make contact with the Communist Viet Minh high command to discuss regrouping of troops after a cease fire.

These talks will run simultaneously with the current negotiations here between representatives of the two commands.

### New Soviet Demand Endangers Talks

Molotov Proposes Political Settlement In Indo-China Without Cease-Fire

GENEVA (AP)—Russia demanded today that the Indo-China peace conference begin discussions at once on a political settlement in the war-torn territory without waiting for an end of the fighting.

This was expected to precipitate a crisis in the peace talks since France has insisted from the beginning that a cease-fire agreement must be reached before such questions as elections should be taken up.

The talks for the last three weeks have been devoted almost exclusively to the military phases of a cease-fire, without any substantial progress.

Molotov proposed that the political and military discussions should be carried on in parallel talks.

In the political phase, Molotov proposed that priority be given to questions pertaining to the sovereignty of the three Indo-Chinese states—Viet Nam, Laos and Cambodia—prior to the holding of free elections in those states. The withdrawal of foreign troops, he said, also should be considered.

### 'Phone Workers Get Increases

Approximately 300 employees here of the B.C. Telephone Company will get wage increases starting this month following two months of negotiation between the Federation of Telephone Workers and the company.

The agreement, effective for a two-year period, was arrived at in Vancouver and awarded 3 to 4 per cent increases for the first year to workers in plant and traffic division, and 2 per cent for the second year. A 4.4 per cent increase was awarded clerical division employees, numbering about 35 in Victoria.

### U.K. Market Drops

LIVERPOOL (Reuters)—Wheat market price drops here today reflected the week-end news that Canada and the United States were making reductions in their wheat export prices. Wheat delivery in October dropped as much as 5½ pence (6 cents) to \$2.79 a hundred pounds.

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## LADY WASN'T FOR BURNING

PAULS GROVE, England (AP)—Mrs. Lucy Longyear, who weighs 252 pounds, became stuck fast in a second-story window while trying to escape from her burning home Monday. A policeman finally worked her loose and the brawny cop staggered down a ladder with Mrs. Longyear over one shoulder.

## French Cabinet Crisis Looming For Tomorrow

PARIS (AP)—Premier Laniel's foes returned today to the National Assembly attack on his Indo-China policy amid signs that the shaky French government may finally be forced out of office.

The Indo-China debate, which began listlessly last week with the usual assaults from the Socialists and Communists, was expected to warm up with members of parties in Laniel's own majority coalition opening fire on his conduct of the war.

Debate on the explosive issue is not expected to reach the crucial stage until Wednesday. Foreign Minister Bidault—on whom Laniel apparently is counting to turn the tide in his favor—will return from the Geneva conference to speak then.

Laniel will need all the persuasion he can command to stave off defeat this time. On his last vote of confidence, May 13, the premier survived by only a two-vote margin. Many believe even this meagre edge has now crumbled.

## DEEP-SEA SHIPS IN PORT

### (MORNING POSITIONS)

Victoria (Ogden Point)—Ss. Hawk, Ribera, Vesuvius, Violanda, Ss. Nordkap (Royal Roads).  
Hamac—Ss. Centaurus.  
Alberni—Ss. Lord Gienely, Manolino.  
Tahsis—Ss. Tacoma City, Alceo.  
Chemainus—Ss. Jersey City, Junecrest.

### OCEAN MAILS

June 9—Ss. Walkawa, New Zealand.  
June 12—Ss. China Mail, Japan, Hong Kong and Philippine Islands.  
June 14—Ss. Marrandera, Australia.

## DEATHS

By The Canadian Press  
SAN ANTONIO, Tex. — Maury Maverick, 58, former Democratic congressman and mayor of San Antonio who coined the word "gobbledygook."

FORT WILLIAM, Ont. — Frank Edwards, 82, pioneer Lakehead and northern Ontario fur trader.

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## STUBBORN?

## Wheat Policy Caused Cut - Diefenbaker

OTTAWA (CP)—John Diefenbaker (PC-Prince Albert), told reporters today that the slash in wheat price is a blow to the western farmer, and blamed it largely on Canada's stubborn refusal to agree to Britain's request for a ceiling of \$2 a bushel instead of \$2.05 under the present International Wheat Agreement.

He hoped this would not lead to a recurrence of the depression of the 1930s when Canada also lost wheat markets, but the circumstances are too similar for anything but the engendering of fear.

Hazen said he believed Canada started a price war with the U.S. when it cut the wheat price by seven cents a bushel at the Lakehead last February 14 without consulting the U.S. The U.S. next day made a similar cut.

### U.S. CONCERNED

Social Credit leader Low said the government should maintain the price to the farmer even if it means subsidies.

Under the U.S. system, the 10-cents cut is financed by increasing the government's shipping subsidy. The farmer bears the full brunt of any Canadian price drop.

American officials are known to be concerned about the fact Canada has been shipping more wheat to world markets than the U.S. even though the U.S. has given some away through various defense aid deals.

Canadian wheat recently, however, has moved very slowly. In May new IWA sales totalled about 6,000,000 bushels. Total stocks in Canada available for export and carry-over were about 741,000,000 bushels April 1, up from 606,000,000 a year before. American stocks April 1 totalled about 932,000,000, up from 620,000,000.

Area of the Pacific Ocean is about the same as the combined extent of the Atlantic, Arctic and Indian Oceans.

## ONLY QUE. WON'T BACK DISABLED PENSION PLAN

OTTAWA (CP)—Health Minister Martin said today all provinces, except one, have indicated willingness to participate in a federal-provincial plan to provide maximum \$40-monthly allowances to disabled persons.

He said in the Commons all provinces except Quebec and Prince Edward Island have enabling legislation to enter into an agreement with the federal government. However, Premier Matheson of Prince Edward Island had told him that his provincial government needed no special enabling legislation and would enter an agreement.

The legislation received final approval and Mr. Martin said it will be proclaimed as soon as possible.

## Saanich School Secession Splits District 63 Board

Members of rural Saanich School Board 63 are split on a proposal that part of the school district lying within the municipality of Saanich be permitted to merge with the Greater Victoria school system.

The board at a meeting at Sidney Monday decided to study the question of whether it would be to the advantage of ratepayers to incorporate a part of the school district with District 61 of Victoria.

The proposal for secession of the Saanich section of School District 63 was made by Trustee G. L. Chatterton.

Mr. Chatterton said the defeat of the \$1,460,000 school bylaw on May 30 showed that the interests of residents of Saanich municipality are not shared with those living in other parts of the district, which includes Central Saanich and unorganized territory.

The majority of people living in the rural district of the district voted against the by-law, he pointed out, while those living in the more urban centres of Saanich were in favor of the building project.

### CORDOVA BAY HURT

Trustee Reginald Sinkinson opposed the secession proposal, claiming that it would be detrimental to the educational facilities in Cordova Bay. He said Cordova Bay was linked irrevocably with District 63.

The opposite view is held by Reeve Joseph Casey and members of Saanich Council who are in favor of linking up the entire municipality with the Greater Victoria School District.

A committee composed of Reeve Casey and Mr. Leslie Passmore is presently waiting to discuss the matter with Education Minister Ray Williston.

Commenting on Mr. Sinkinson's views, Mr. Passmore said benefit by secession.

"Residents would pay less school taxes if they belonged to the Greater Victoria School District," he said. "They would probably also get another school." I don't know how they would lose."

## VHS Graduation Friday to Hear Dr. Chisholm

Graduates of Victoria High School will have Dr. Brock Chisholm, noted Canadian psychologist and former director-general of the United Nations' World Health Organization, as the principal speaker at their graduation exercise to be held Friday night at 8.

Senior Major Walter Oakley, of the Salvation Army, will pronounce the invocation. John Gittins will deliver the valedictory address.

The graduation ceremony will be held in the school auditorium. A dance will follow in the gymnasium.

## S. Africa Observatory Wrecked by Vandals

DURBAN, South Africa (AP)—Valuable observatory instruments were smashed at Durban's observatory Monday by vandals who scrawled hammer-and-sickle and swastika signs in chalk on the roof. Instruments were ripped from their cases in the observation tower and flung on to a concrete floor 15 feet below. The instruments included eyepieces of the big telescope.

## IOOF's No. 2 Leader Here for Convention

Tellie F. Aston Travels From Texas To Address B.C. Grand Lodge Thursday

The man who holds the No. 2 position in the Independent Order of Odd Fellows is in Victoria this week attending the 80th session of the B.C. IOOF Grand Lodge.

Tellie F. Aston, 58, a native of Sherman, Texas, is Deputy Sovereign Grand Master of the IOOF. At the Sovereign Lodge session in Colorado Springs, Colorado, this September, he will be elevated to the position of Sovereign Grand Master.

Then he will head an international order with 1,500,000 members on the North American continent and another 500,000 in 14 foreign countries.

Mr. Aston joined Odd Fellows in 1920 in Sherman. He has held all the offices of the Texas Grand Lodge, being elected Grand Master of Texas in 1940. He was Sovereign representative in Texas from 1941 to 1953.

In private life Mr. Aston is in the insurance business. He served in the U.S. infantry in First World War.

From 1943 to 1949 he was mayor of Sherman, refusing to run for re-election to a fourth term because "I felt I had done my duty for the city."

Mr. Aston is also a past officer of the Sherman Chamber of Commerce.

Mrs. Aston, who is confined to her hotel bed at present suffering from a cold, is prominent in the distaff side of the IOOF, the Rebekahs.

An Oklahoman by birth, Adie Belle Aston joined the Texas Rebekah Assembly when she married Mr. Aston in 1920. Since then she has held many posts in the Texas Assembly, and is past president.

Both the Aston will speak at IOOF and Rebekah Assembly conventions now in progress here. Mr. Aston will deliver the address at the grand ball of the two groups at Club Sirocco Thursday night.

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## LET ALL LOOK IN HORROR ON 'WAR'S NEW FACE ...'

WASHINGTON (AP)—Commissioner Thomas E. Murray of the United States Atomic Energy Commission suggested today that the U.S. stage a special demonstration of a 1954-model hydrogen bomb for representatives of all powers, including Russia.

Murray, one of five members of the AEC, said that might help to avert war with weapons capable of driving civilization backward "into the primeval chaos."

"I think the United States might well unveil the new face of war's new look in this atomic age," he said.

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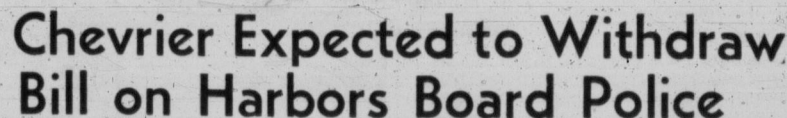
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

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
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## Riot in Tokyo

JAPAN'S NEWLY-WON AND paper-thin democracy is evidently entering a period of dangerous trial. Last week the Diet was turned into a riot. The Prime Minister, Mr. Yoshida, has been compelled to cancel a world tour and remain at home in an attempt to bring order into the nation's disordered politics. Such confusion on the surface reflects deep movements in Japanese life—movements of vital concern to the free world, which needs Japan as a citadel of strength in the north Pacific.

In the first place, democracy under the best of conditions, needs time to grow in Japan. It was planted there by General MacArthur's constitution but no code of laws ever built a democracy. And in the second place conditions in Japan have not been favorable. The Yoshida Government, already old by Japanese standards, is now feeling the impact of a threatened economic collapse after a brief and artificial postwar boom, largely financed by the United States.

Mr. Yoshida had intended to visit foreign capitals on an errand of mystery. He bluntly refused to tell a parliamentary committee why he was going or what he would discuss with the other governments. But it was obvious that he sought economic aid, especially from the United States, in one form or another, to prevent a grave depression.

His political enemies attacked him in the Diet for selling out to the West, for whittling down the nation's independence, for planning to spend too much on rearmament and for seeking too much centralized

power. They succeeded, during the recent session of the Diet, in drastically changing the Government's legislative program, provoked a violent and humiliating spectacle in protest against his mission abroad and finally compelled him to abandon it.

Obviously the Government is in deep water and may be unable to weather this storm. Would any other alternative Government be able to pursue the pro-Western and anti-communist policies faithfully followed by Mr. Yoshida of recent years? That is the question of most urgent concern to the free world.

If Japan is now re-considering its own policies it is high time that the Western nations re-considered their policies toward Japan.

Since the war Japan has lived in a hectic flush of false prosperity, paid for mostly by direct American aid and by the expenditures of the American occupation army. In international business Japan has not paid and is not paying its way. Its swarming and increasing population on a few small islands can live only by trade with the Western world, while demanding stability and armed strength in Japan, has not given it any adequate opportunity to trade.

Canada foresaw this problem some two years ago and in the trade treaty recently negotiated opened its markets, on a reasonable basis, to Japanese goods. Until other great trading nations, especially the United States, are willing to do the same Japan will remain on the edge of economic disaster, in a state of political confusion and in a condition of weakness dangerous to the free world's entire strategy in Asia.

## Forests, Game and Public Benefit

ANOTHER POPULAR BELIEF—that pioneer British Columbia abounded in game and that supplies have decreased rapidly as the result of settlement and logging—has been denied.

Speaking to delegates at the B.C. Game Convention in Nanaimo the other day, Mr. Ian Mahood, of MacMillan & Bloedel Limited, declared the contrary to be the case.

Heavy, mature forest cover, which prevented growth of forage vegetation on its floor, actually left only limited areas for survival of game, Mr. Mahood explains. As loggers thinned out the trees, as fire created more open spaces and as settlement cut into the dense forest, more sustenance was provided for a larger game population.

In consequence, says the forester, "the east coast of Vancouver Island, due entirely to logging, now has one of the highest deer and grouse populations to be found anywhere in North America."

Here is a point of definite interest to British Columbians—a point which illustrates, too, the benefits that accrue not only to the forester and the hunter, but also to the public at large, when the forester and the hunter co-operate.

Because more forage has been preserved by patch logging, game is more prevalent. Being more prevalent, it creates a hazard to reforestation, since deer and grouse destroy very tender new growth. When the game is thinned down by the hunter, a measure of control is established, permitting satisfactory regeneration of forests which in turn provide a more favorable habitat for game than did the mature forests of the pioneer days.

The concept is logical. In its own way it reflects a modern, man-made factor in the balance of nature. Provided ideal co-operation can be achieved, the people of this province who depend so heavily on trees for their prosperity stand to gain.

But the gain can be satisfactory, as Mr. Mahood points out, only if hunters exercise caution in the woods. Any service they render the logging industry in game control is of little value if the forests are destroyed by fire. And hunters are frequently charged with carelessness in that respect.

## Freedom to Read

MR. JUSTICE R. L. KELLOCK of Canada's Supreme Court has defined his opposition to book censorship in clear terms.

Speaking to the graduating class at Sir George Williams College last week he criticized censorship on the grounds that it deprived the individual of his right to make his own selection.

Individuals would never be safe until they were able to choose by themselves, he said. "And the country will never be free until all its people are free to read anything, but use their freedom to read the best that has been thought and said."

It is significant that Mr. Justice Kellock expressed his views in Montreal. There the people living under the administration of Premier Duplessis are closer to the influence of censorship than are citizens of any other province in Canada.

## Just 'Unlaxed'

TALK TO MOST COACHES AND they will tell you that top-flight athletes have usually mastered the art of relaxation.

This relaxation, they explain, is one of the advantages the good performer has either developed or inherited. In many cases such athletes go Sir Winston Churchill one better. Sir Winston advises people never to stand up when they can sit down; never sit down when they can lie down.

The relaxed athlete, out of action, does the next best thing to sitting down when he's standing up; virtually lies down when he's sitting. Hence his slouch, his lounging attitude at ease, his careless but comfortable posture when he takes his weight off his feet.

All this is doubtless an excellent practice. It saves energy for concerted, co-ordinated action when it is required. It stores the reserves for the critical moment when the extra burst of speed, the added show of strength, is needed.

But it works its hardship on the parents of the growing boy. Let the boy reach that age when the athlete is just one step lower than the Almighty, and the boy learns to slouch, learns to shuffle, learns to "unlax."

The parent tells him to straighten up, to stand like a man. Why should he? That isn't the way athletes do it. And how many parents can run 100 yards in less than 10 seconds or hit homers against good pitching?

## LOOSE ENDS

By BRUCE HUTCHISON

## The Critics and the Amateur

AN obscure writer in The Winnipeg Free Press raises an interesting point. Having just viewed the movie version of "Julius Caesar," which recently played here, this investigator wonders what would happen if Shakespeare had written this play now. If it had been produced for the first time by an unknown English playwright from the village of Stratford. The answer, this authority believes, is obvious—the world of criticism and culture would condemn William Shakespeare as a clumsy amateur.

THUS, after the opening night of "Julius Caesar" on the London stage, it is easy to imagine The London Times' erudite critic writing about as follows:

"With no wish to discourage an apprentice author, it must be said in candor that Mr. Shakespeare, an enterprising youth from the West Country, displays an equal ignorance of Roman history, the laws of drama and the use of the English language."

"There is, perhaps, some glimmer of promise in his first attempt and if he will resist the temptation to produce his work on the stage, if he will concentrate what may possibly be a minor talent on a study of literature and, if possible, acquire an education, he may yet achieve some work of merit. But after the failure of his first essay—and after every effort by the director and actors to breathe some life into his wooden lines—it will doubtless be many years before the public will hear of Mr. Shakespeare again."

POSSIBLY, however, some dilettante dabblers in the drama might see enough substance in "Julius Caesar" to provide the author with a scholarship at Oxford, where he could secure the rudiments of education. As The Manchester Guardian doubtless would argue in a glossy editorial:

"Obviously the public school system of Britain, after all the tinkering by the Labor Government and the economies of Mr. Butler's budget, is in a sorry state when the village school of Stratford turns out a pupil like Mr. Shakespeare, uninformed alike on Roman history and on the construction of simple English sentences."

"WHAT is to be said of our teaching profession when a gangster like Brutus is made to appear in this play as 'the noblest Roman of them all,' when, indeed, the society, economic system and mores of Rome are completely

misconceived and when, as if this were not distortion enough, these burlesque characters are compelled to mouth lines of twisted metaphor, tortured hyperbole and over-stuffed speeches which would be out of place even in the first primer?"

"Nevertheless, the appearance of this extraordinary play, with all its solecisms, its crude melodrama and ghastly bathos, may do some good. It may spur the Government to re-organize the school system and make certain that pupils enter the world at least with a working knowledge of grammar."

AMERICAN criticism would be even sharper. One can picture the acidulous review in "Time," the usual description of the author as "balding, hook-nosed Shakespeare," the sly references to "historical error and probably the invention of some new adjective. In 'Time's' inimitable style, to describe the author's quality: "No imitator he, Shakespeare scrambles the language in a sickly strawberry milkshake but, in places, the writing is quite Shakespearian."

IN more kindly terms the New York Times would ask rather plaintively: "Why doesn't this rather talented but undisciplined youth study the works of masters like Eugene O'Neill, Ernest Hemingway and Tennessee Williams and learn a little restraint?—and instead of dismal exploration of a rather sordid incident in Roman history (totally distorted beyond recognition) could Mr. Shakespeare not spend his time better in some vital modern theme like the problems of sex, the rights of Negroes or the peril of Communism. That, perhaps, is too much to hope for. We are not likely to hear of Mr. Shakespeare again. His present employment as an advertising writer for women's garments is probably best suited to his abilities."

BUT, having on its hands a motion picture of "Julius Caesar," a total flop at the box office, we may be sure that the blurb writers of Hollywood would strive mightily to bail the producers out of their heavy losses with a torrent of colorful prose:

"Thundering down the road of history come the hoofbeats of Rome's legions, hot with passion, naked in the glare of primitive desire, flaming in elemental fury when the world was young! The Coliseum, bloodied in the death throes of the gladiators and the carnal lips of Rome's tumultuous womanhood! At last the screen brings you in daring realism what no historian has dared to print! From the scented boudoir of Caesar's wife to the carnage of Philippi the camera strips off the fiction of centuries and reveals the Truth of civilization's scandalous birth and riotous, flaming youth!—(Adult entertainment only.)"

## As Our Readers See It

### CONSERVATIVE STAND

The utterly hopeless attitude of the Tory party as demonstrated once more, by their actions in voting against the Liberal government's public service superannuation bill in the House of Commons, is one more reason why this reactionary party will continue to blindly wander in the barren fields of dark political oblivion.

Even the CCF and Social Credit parties could not bring themselves to vote against this progressive measure. The Tories apparently are running true to form. On practically every humanitarian measure brought in by the Liberal government over a period of years, they have opposed it. Is it any wonder the majority of Canadians will not trust the Tory party? At every turn they voluntarily commit hari-kari.

To those who claim the Tories are on the march (a claim made since 1930) and that great feelings, crowds and standing ovations have been given to their leaders, they had better face the hard, cruel facts of reality.

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### SCHOOL CRITICISM

The recent rejection of the Saanich school by-law is merely one more symbol of growing discontent with the way education is being run in this province. Others are the repudiation by the recent annual convention of B.C. teachers of the unintelligible OSU report-cards, and their demand that the curriculum committee should consist not, as at present, solely of high school principals, but of all walks of life. This last is the most clear-cut vote of no confidence that could be imagined.

A totally new policy is thus indicated, which I feel should contain the following features:

1. Many senior officials in the department of education should be retired and replaced by new men. Both the rank-and-file teachers and the general public have repudiated them, and the approaching shortage of class-rooms is directly

due to their policy of building huge auditoriums and gymnasiums instead. In any case, as anyone willing to examine the program of studies can verify, they have never seen themselves as more than branch managers of a firm whose headquarters are outside this country.

2. There should be a severe exam at the end of Grade 8, and only those who can show they have the brains should be allowed to proceed further.

3. Bright pupils can easily finish the 12 grades in 8 or 9 years, and should be encouraged to do so. At present this is frowned on, as it constitutes "over-achievement"—a very bad thing, so the generalissimo of Teachers' College, Columbia, speaking through their local stooges, inform bewildered parents.

If these policies are put into effect without further delay, there will be no class-room shortage, no need for gigantic raids on the taxpayer's pocket, a general raising of standards, and, in fact, no harm to anyone except the building contractors who are the only real beneficiaries of the present system.

DEREK PETHICK  
Royal Oak.

### SCHOOL COSTS

Your editorial of June 2 with reference to educational costs was interesting and carries the sentiments, as you surmise, of many people. The curricular frills you mention, many and varied, must be advanced by those who wish to further their own ends. I wonder if school boards are not influenced by promoters?

Carrying this thought further, those who prepare plans for splendid school structures (and other public buildings, as hospitals, etc.) have always with them the knowledge their fees will be based on cost; the greater the cost, the greater the fee. More basic and inexpensive over-all policies are necessary. Our total taxation load has reached a point beyond reason.

F. T. WORTH.

2875 Ashley Road.

## From Our Files

June 8, 1894—The Ss. Queen, carrying the first Alaska excursionists of the season, left here last night. She has on board nearly 100 travelers, mostly from points in the east.

June 8, 1914—Advertisements: "Phoenix beer, \$1.50 per dozen; qts.; finest granulated sugar, 100 lb. sack, \$4.75 at Copas and Young's; fresh, crisp ginger snaps 10 cents per pound; Gray's pure jam, 1 lb., 25c."

June 8, 1934—Victorians on the waterfront this morning saw a U.S. cruiser steaming in the strait which was commissioned at Bremerton only a few days ago. It was the Astoria.



## Red Nutcracker Suite



## 'Hitherto Secret History'

By JOSEPH and STEWART ALSOP, From Washington

SINCE Dr. J. Robert Oppenheimer has been judged devotedly loyal, impeccably discreet, and an invaluable public servant, the heart of the case against him is his alleged lack of "enthusiasm" for the hydrogen bomb.

It is said, in effect, that Strauss and Gordon Dean inclined towards an all-out effort to make super, while chairman Lilienthal, Sumner Pike, and Dr. Henry Smyth shared the doubts of the scientists. But, it concluded, the final decision was the lonely and terrible responsibility of the President.

Dean, Lilienthal, Pike, and Smyth appended their individual opinions to this overall report, for some reason Strauss did not. In the meanwhile, Truman had ordered special studies of the problem to be made by the State and Defense Departments.

State reported categorically that there was not the slightest hope of achieving control of the new weapons by agreement with the Soviets—and this hope had influenced those who had counseled delay. Defense pointed to most cogent reasons why this country could not risk the Soviet Union achieving the super-bomb first.

In the interval, the substance of the issue had been reported initially by these reporters, and there was an almost unanimous public reaction in favor of making the bomb. As a result, the whole climate of opinion began to change.

In late December, Strauss belatedly sent his individual memorandum to the President, and for the first time came out flatly for super. By late January, 1950, all five commissioners questioned in executive session by the McMahon committee, also came out for super. The President then ordered the bomb to be made.

But there are two points to note about this slice of history. First, it is certainly true that Strauss performed a useful public service in the debate on super. But the picture which has been so often painted of Strauss bravely and single-mindedly foiling the nefarious designs of an equally single-minded Oppenheimer, is hardly accurate.

Those who have put about this version of events have been, to borrow a phrase from the Gray report, "less than candid." And the chief putter-about has been none other than Admiral Strauss himself.

Second, if "lack of enthusiasm" for the terrible hydrogen weapon is to mark a man as a security risk, who then is secure? Dr. Teller, no doubt, is safe. So, oddly enough, is former Secretary of State, Dean Acheson, also a strong advocate of super from the start. For the rest, certain of this country's most respected businessmen, and virtually all its leading scientists, must now be marked security risks.

There were cogent technical reasons why so many scientists at first doubted the wisdom of going all-out for the hydrogen weapon. But in almost every case the basic reason was moral. Perhaps this is very reprehensible. But scientists are also human beings. And surely these are strange times, when it is a suspicious act to voice hesitations about a weapon which may one day write finis to the history of the human race.

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## How Do You Rate 'Graduations'?

THERE are so many ways of looking at high school graduations that I guess it's impossible to be dogmatic about their worth or otherwise.

As a spectacle, they're almost unique. If you can look at a bowl of flowers and marvel at the sheer loveliness of the sight, you can do that, at young girls in their graduation gowns and find no less loveliness. You might even spare a nod of approval for the boys, who form the surrounding darker foliage.

If you regard the ceremony as a fitting climax to school work for a number of them—or at least as a definite break between secondary school and higher education—you can justify the formal recognition of the occasion.

Again, if you can see in the event a division from the childhood that has gone before and the beginnings of a new phase closer to the adult, you can acknowledge the appropriateness of the function.

These are some of the points raised by people who believe high school "graduations" have some value.

There is an opposite point of view that seems to be gaining strength.

The opposition emphasizes certain anomalies in the ceremony as it is conducted. A lot of the young people honored, they argue, aren't graduating. Yet those who aren't going to make the grade are given the same distinction as those who are. The critics want to know why.

### COST FACTOR

While those who look with a jaundiced eye on the ceremony will freely admit that the young people look fine, that the stage setting is highly attractive, they draw attention to the cost factor.

How much, they ask, did parents have to lay out for "the outfit daughter appears in"? Is there a financial hardship imposed on the father and mother who purchase the gown and the trimmings? The critics are not taken in by the argument that graduating students can make their own dresses.

And the critics have an answer for the suggestion that "graduation" marks the change between previous childhood and nearing maturity. In the intellectual realm, they point out, maturity isn't chronological. It's more a matter of mind and emotions.

Logic seems to be on the side of those who question the value of "graduation" at the high school level—particularly when some of the principals don't graduate.

But oddly enough, the objection doesn't often come from the parents—not to the ceremonies and the expense they entail. Parents, I guess, are swayed by the emotions. This, to them, is a sort of debut for their growing children. Their concern seems less to determine the merits of the event than to try to make the participation of their children good. Sure it costs dough, they say, but whose dough is it? If we're not kicking, who should?

### OVER A BARREL

It's quite possible that some parents don't feel that way. But who of them is in a position to register a kick? In agreement with the function or not, they forego objection not through fear of appearing mean, but because they might embarrass their youngsters.

So the shows go on—and they aren't a complete waste of time. They can be important events in the life of the young people—important beyond their narrowly social aspects.

It is significant, though, that teachers at a recent convention raised an eyebrow at the whole business—since teachers are inclined to consider such things as academic excellence and the rewards it should receive. They questioned the holus-bolus inclusion of an entire class—complete with those who won't make the grade.

The department of education, in its formal reply, was disinclined to draw distinctions among the students. Principals of schools didn't have to accept the department's attitude. The department said so. That's good Canadian democracy. No employee in Canada is bound to do whatever the boss wants. But it's quite often strategic to comply with his wishes.

### Life's Darkest Moment



### Newspaper Price Up in Los Angeles

LOS ANGELES—The Herald-Express and the Mirror, Los Angeles' two afternoon newspapers, Monday increased the price of single copies from the present 7 to 10 cents.

Home delivery rates went up from \$1.50 to \$1.75 a month.

The Los Angeles Examiner and Los Angeles Times, morning newspapers, have been selling for 10 cents on weekdays and 20 cents on Sundays.

The Los Angeles Daily News, morning daily, which has been

selling for 7 cents, has not indicated any increase.



## Indignant Motorist Protests \$10 Fine For Passing Car on Right in Esquimalt

It is legal in Vancouver, it is permitted in Victoria—but it will get you a ticket in Esquimalt.

That's what Magistrate H. C. Hall told motorist William J. Pilon, 2581 Pennyln, about passing another car on the right, during a trial Monday in Esquimalt court.

The accused was indignant. He told the court that he was driving east on Esquimalt Road and had pulled up on the right of a car which was stopped for a red light at Head Street. "I read in the paper that it is legal," said the accused. He was fined \$10, all because he didn't read carefully enough.

The Times carried a message from Police Chief John Blackstock March 31. It pointed out that Vancouver, which is the only B.C. city chartered to lay down its own traffic laws, permits inside passing where streets are laned.

the offense each week. In Saanich or Oak Bay court the charge is seldom read.

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### VOICE OF BROADWAY

### By DOROTHY KILGALLEN

## George Cukor Says

(Dorothy Kilgallen is on vacation. Her guest columnist today is the famous Hollywood director, George Cukor.)

NEW YORK—I have seen many girls suffer for their art, but none quite as much as Judy Garland. In one scene of "A Star is Born," Judy had to become slightly hysterical, a feat she manages with great skill. When I complimented her on her volcanic emotional outburst, which registered so well that I was able to tell the technicians to print the first take, thereby short-circuiting a week or more of anticipated shooting, Miss Garland said with her usual self-deprecating humor: "That's nothing, I do this at home every afternoon."

After the hysteria, the man in the scene with her, James Mason, was required to slap her face. Naturally, he was reluctant to slap very hard. Miss Garland said she didn't feel a thing, so I suggested a harder slap. "I'll roll with the slap," Miss Garland said; "don't be afraid to hit hard."

Mason complied with the suggestion and struck her resoundingly with his open palm. But it would still look unconvincing to a motion picture audience. I asked for another take, and still another. Each time, I would ask Miss Garland whether she was hurt or not and each time she reassured me that she couldn't feel a thing. So we kept on doggedly, each slap harder than the last, all afternoon; until, finally, we got a slap that would look and sound like a real, hard blow on film.

Miss Garland departed after her day's labor, as blithe and spirited as ever, showing no effects of her ordeal. But the next day she came to the set with a face that was a mass of black and blue marks from jawline to temple. The slaps that she "didn't feel" had done this to her. "Good Lord," said her husband (and producer), Sid Luft, "what have you been doing to the girl? Now everybody will say I've been beating her!"

Some years ago, I directed "Dinner at Eight," and before I started was bemoaning my fate at having to handle so many stars, among them Greta Garbo, Jean Harlow, Lionel Barrymore and Marie Dressler. A knowledgeable and cynical friend said, "Sure is tough. Here you've got to make Marie Dressler act like an aging actress, a former star who knows she's slipping. And you have to get Jean Harlow to behave like a tough blonde." My friend went on to list the characteristics of each member of the cast and show how closely each resembled the real life personality of the actor taking the part.

I blushed appropriately and went on about my business. The incident came back when it came time to start work with Judy Garland on "A Star is Born." Here is my story about a young girl named Esther Blodgett (an honest but by no means attractive name) who works her way up in show business, gets to singing with a band, then is discovered by an aging Hollywood male star. After some difficulties, she is taken to a studio, her name is changed, and she goes on up the ladder.

Now, to play this part, we have a young lady who started out in life with the honest, but by no means attractive, name of Frances Gumm. She spent her youth traipsing about the country as part of a sister act in vaudeville, the Gumm sisters, until she met an aging Hollywood star by the name of George Jessel. Jessel suggested changing her name to Garland.

I thought of all these things when I asked Miss Garland to do a certain scene. "You're supposed to behave as though you couldn't sleep last night. Insomnia," I told her. This might ordinarily come under the head of coaching, which is part of a director's job.

Sometimes a director has to create a mood for an actor to slip into, to describe minutely how a character is supposed to be feeling. But with Miss Garland, none of this was necessary for the simple reason it was hard to know where Frances Gumm left off and Esther Blodgett began. I'm sure that even for our star the lines of demarcation were blurred.

## WEATHER SYNOPSIS

### CITY'S WEATHER RECORD

Sunshine, 1954 ..... 852.5 hrs.  
Last Year ..... 706.7 hrs.  
Precip. to Date ..... 14.28 ins.  
Last Year ..... 15.86 ins.

### SYNOPSIS

There is a minor disturbance off the Oregon coast which will bring rain northward into Washington. Cloudiness will persist over the coastal sections and there is some risk of showers on the south coast on Wednesday.

In the interior, skies are mostly clear but shower clouds will develop in the heat of the afternoon with occasional thunderstorms along the ridges. Temperatures will be slightly warmer in all regions Wednesday.

### Discrimination Charged Against B.C. Art Gallery

VANCOUVER (CP)—Charges that the Vancouver Art Gallery was discriminating against all but abstract painters were made Monday by a delegation from the Western Art Circle, which appeared before the park board.

R. D. Buchanan and M. D. Burgess, said they were unable to get space in the gallery to exhibit and asked for space in the Stanley Park pavilion for a three-week exhibit.

"We don't want to destroy the modernistic artist," Mr. Buchanan said, "we just want him to move over."

### DOMINION PUBLIC WEATHER OFFICE

9 A.M. FORECASTS

Forecast valid until midnight Wednesday.

VICTORIA—Cloudy Wednesday. Sunny periods in afternoon. Little change in temperature. Light winds. Low-high Wednesday, 48 and 62.

WEST COAST—Cloudy Wednesday. For patches along the shore lines early Wednesday. Sunny periods Wednesday afternoon. Little change in temperature. Light winds. Low-high Wednesday, 48 and 62.

VICTORIA—GEORGIA STRAIT—Cloudy Wednesday. Sunny periods in afternoon. Little change in temperature. Light winds. Low-high Wednesday, 48 and 62.

TEMPERATURES

YESTERDAY Min. Max. Precip.

ONE YEAR AGO

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SUNRISE AND SUNSET WEDNESDAY

(Pacific Standard Time)

Sunrise 4:12 Sunset 20:14

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(Pacific Standard Time)

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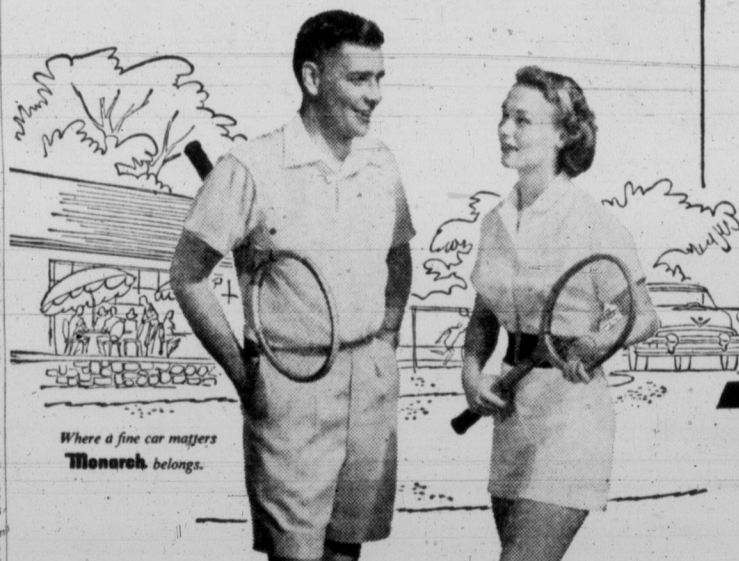
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# Cowichan Lake Site for Film

Republic Pictures' Crew of 150 Will Start Shooting in August

LAKE COWICHAN — Excitement in this area has been aroused about the full-length technical motion picture to be filmed in the area in August.

## Wind Hinders Firemen at Island Blaze

ALERT BAY (CP)—A strong west wind and shortage of water is hampering 86 men fighting a stubborn fire on remote Harbledown Island, near Alert Bay.

A forestry official described the fire as "a tough show" and said heavy rain would be needed to put it out.

The fire, largest in the province this year, started on logged-over land of the Powell River Company late Saturday night and within four hours had raged over the 400 acres.

The area is too rugged for effective use of bulldozers, and the men are fighting the fire with pick and shovel and five pumps which are draining the few water holes on the island.

Only other fire during the week end was caused by lightning near Nanaimo. It has been extinguished and patrols are being kept on two old fires at Lillooet Lake and one at Mission.

## Port Alberni Deputy Chief Dies on Duty

PORT ALBERNI — A fire in the King Edward Hotel Monday night claimed the life of Deputy Fire Chief Jock Redford, who collapsed on duty a few minutes after his arrival at the scene.

His colleagues believe he was victim of a heart attack.

Mr. Redford died while in an alley behind the building where he was relaying orders and directing the passing of hoses. The department's resuscitator was employed, but Dr. R. W. Garner pronounced the 53-year-old deputy dead.

He had been a member of the volunteer fire department since 1936.

Damage at the hotel was "considerable," with water damage particularly heavy on the ground floor.

## Saturna Residents Prepare For Annual July 1 Barbecue

SATURNA ISLAND — The Saturna Island lamb barbecue will be held once again, July 1, and the growing fame of the unique outdoor festivity has already attracted inquiries from as far afield as Seattle and Winnipeg.

The barbecue, which began as a school picnic and grew because the food was so good and the fun so uproarious, last year drew more than 100 yachts from all up and down the coast, and more than 700 guests.

The islanders expect that figure to be topped this year, and already are planning to barbecue at least 12 lambs before the open fires on Saturna beach. Jim Cruickshank, veteran barbecuer who learned the art in South America, again will be in command of the cooking.

Sports for the children will begin at 11 a.m. The coconut shy, bingo, test-your-strength and all the other games are being set up under the cherry trees, where a good crop promises to be waiting for young tree climbers.

Seven young pigs are putting on muscle for the diaper-pin contest—first man to get diaper on a pig wins the prize. A new log has been hauled out of the bush for the ladies' nail-driving contest, and Eddie Reid is bringing along the island's strongest rope for the tug-of-war because although the contest begins with nine contestants on each side, it always ends up with everybody pulling. One year a good husky stump was "pulling" too.

Eating time is set for 2:30 p.m., and the island has rounded up several carvers to speed the process.

Tickets may be had from J. E. Money, Saturna Island, and only tickets bought prior to

F. W. Holland Funeral

Funeral services for Frederick William Holland, retired CNR engineer, will be held Wednesday at 2:30 at McCall Bros., Funeral Home.

Very Rev. P. R. Beattie will officiate. Cremation will follow. Mr. Holland died Sunday at his home, 2881 Heath Drive.

# ISLAND DIGEST

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'Minstrels' Raise Funds for Langford Club

Lugubrious gentlemen above had major part in Langford Community Club minstrel show Saturday, when \$88 was earned for purchase of club sports equipment. They are, from left, D. Tweedhope, E. Jeffries, K. Johnson, F. Unwin. Capacity crowd enjoyed

minstrel chorus; guest artists, Reg Stoffer, Charles Cassidy, accompanist. Mrs. E. Limer Sr. Dance numbers were given by Karen and Carl Rudolph. Mrs. Edward Thow, Mrs. F. Bayles, Mrs. D. P. Gardner had charge of arrangements. (Flett Studio Photo.)

## Highway Deaths Inquest June 21

DUNCAN — Inquest that opened here Monday into the highway deaths Saturday night of Donald A. Hopf, 27, and Dean Johnston, 26, was adjourned until June 21 after remains had been viewed by a coroner's jury.

The two men were killed when the car in which they were riding left the highway at

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the E & N Railway overpass six miles north of here, and landed upside down at the bottom of a 30-foot embankment.

Third passenger in the car, John Robson, 26, is being treated in King's Daughters' Hospital for serious injuries received in the accident.

The two victims, close friends since childhood and neighbors on Van Street in Duncan, will be buried here Wednesday following double funeral services.

Johnston is survived by his widow and three children, ranging in age from six years to infancy, and Hopf is survived by his widow and two sons aged six and four years.

Parents of the two young men said they had been inseparable friends since their first day in Duncan Elementary School. Each was best man for the other when they were married, and they purposely built their homes side by side.

## Mayor Muir Backs By-Law, Scolds Crowd

Many Protest Cemetery Plan

NANAIMO — Mayor George Muir faced a hostile audience Monday night when he spoke at the Odd-fellows' Hall in support of the Cemetery By-Law, which goes to the people on Thursday.

The meeting shouted out against the proposed expenditure of \$55,000 for a new cemetery, and the mayor raised his voice in order to make himself heard.

At one point he scolded the audience, saying: "Let's conduct this like a Nanaimo meeting. You would think we were in Victoria."

The mayor said Nanaimo's present cemetery situation was "very serious."

"In a nutshell, here is the picture, and believe me it is not very bright if this by-law should be defeated. Within a month we will have no place to bury our departed."

Main objection to the by-law concerns the proposed site on Wakesiah Avenue, but Mayor Muir insisted "the site is the best we could find."

Ald. Mrs. Gertrude Hall and Ald. Lamont Ross were on the platform with the mayor.

## Flint Offers Prayers On Tornado Anniversary

FLINT, Mich. (AP)—Flint residents dedicated prayers and flew flags at half-staff today in memory of the 116 persons who died in the June 8, 1953, tornado which roared across the city. Mayor Donald W. Riegler asked Flint residents to offer a minute of silent prayer. Brief memorial services will be held tonight.

Neither Greenland nor Liberia have any telephones, but there are 70,300,000 of the instruments in the world.

## Saltair Risks Loss Of Water Privileges

Other Applications Held in Abeyance Pending Action of Ratepayers' Group

LADYSMITH—If Saltair residents cannot reach a decision on establishment of a water system, they will lose access to the water supply for all time, according to A. Sundquist, president of Saltair Ratepayers' Association.

He told a meeting Saturday that the 'government' water controller has several applications for the same source, but is holding them in abeyance pending formation of a Saltair water improvement district.

These other applications would be granted if Saltair did not proceed with its application soon, he said, and there would not be sufficient left for Saltair to obtain rights at a later date.

During the past few months the association has circulated a formal petition asking the provincial department to grant permission for the formation of a water improvement district.

SECOND PETITION More than the necessary 70 per cent majority was obtained on this petition in favor of the proposal but the provincial department deferred its acceptance because a second unofficial petition was circulated asking that an independent engineering report be obtained on the costs of the proposed scheme, and that the official petition be circulated by a "neutral body."

A. R. Colby of Courtenay, civil engineer employed by the association, told the meeting the total cost of the proposed system was estimated at \$220,000 including the cost of service connections. With administration, carrying and maintenance charges added and the whole amortized over a 20-year period at 4½ per cent, this would cost an average of \$3 per month for the 300 users on which the estimate was based.

"In general, I feel that the system as laid out will provide for the needs of the community for many years to come and, when all factors are considered, the cost is not excessively high," he stated.

During the question period both H. W. Swales and L. A. H. Casper expressed concern about the source of supply. Mr. Casper said he had heard on good authority that Bannock Creek and Silver Lake, from which the water would be obtained would not provide sufficient in the dry season.

Mr. Colby replied that he had not personally inspected the sources of supply and therefore could not make a positive statement in that regard. He added, however, that the water controller's department would not issue water rights in excess of the amount any given source would supply.

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# VICTORIA DAILY TIMES

## Corbett, Sandys-Wunsch Lead Victoria College Awards List

The four top students at Victoria College have taken the largest share of 39 scholarships, bursaries and prizes, announced by the College today.

Gary E. Corbett, 18, 1180 Oliver Street, leader of the first-year class, is to receive \$300 and a gold wrist watch. In addition, he qualified for another \$100 prize which the scholarship committee ruled should go to another student by reversion.

John W. Sandys-Wunsch, of Maple Bay Road, Duncan leader of the second-year class, is to receive three scholarships worth \$350 and a book prize.

Marilyn Bassett, 18, of 877 Newport Avenue, runner-up to Corbett in first year examinations, receives two scholarships worth \$200, and loses another \$100 prize by reversion.

Ann Coleman, 18, of Fernside Road, Gordon Head, who was second-highest among second-year students, takes four awards, worth \$250, and a book prize.

Presentation of the awards will be made at the annual College Assembly to be held October 15.

Mr. Corbett completed his first-year studies with an average of 94.3. Miss Bassett's mark was 91.2.

Mr. Sandys-Wunsch led his class with an average of 92. Miss Coleman placed second with a 90.8.

The list of scholarships is as follows:

Percy H. Elliott Memorial Scholarship (\$130), Katharine A. Burnett; Royal Institution and Frank Eaton Memorial Scholarship (\$50), Ann Coleman; Alliance Francaise prize (\$50), John W. K. Sandys-Wunsch; T. Eaton Company Limited Scholarship (\$200), Gary E. Corbett; Kiwanis Scholarship (\$150), H. Robin Brammhall; Quita Nichol Bursary (\$50), Sheila M. Carstens by reversion to Ann Coleman; Quita Nichol Bursary (\$100), Lorraine E. Brand; Quita Nichol Bursary (\$50), Marilyn J. E. Bassett.

University Women's Club scholarship (\$150), Marilyn J. E. Bassett; Kathleen Agnew scholarship (\$150), Geoffrey A. Lester; Hudson's Bay Company scholarship (\$100), Ann Coleman; Sidney Roofing and Paper Company scholarship (\$250), John W. K. Sandys-Wunsch; The Canadian Legion, B.E.S.L. (Victoria, B.C.), Sir Percy Lake Memorial scholarship (\$150), William C. Gelling; the B.C. Electric scholarship (\$150), Rodney A. Hafer; British America Paint Company scholarship (\$100), Gary E. Corbett, by reversion to Gordon W. Walters; Victoria Gyro Club scholarship (\$100), Donald E. Cox; Victoria Municipal Chapter, Imperial Order of the Daughters of the Empire scholarship (\$50), Lorraine E. Brand; Kinsmen Club of Victoria scholarship (\$100), D. Anne Pomeroy.

Esther Pearce Memorial prize (\$25), Katharine A. Riddle, by reversion to Heather C. Clark; John Wesley and Emily E. Church Memorial scholarship (\$100), Francis M. Filleul; Ker scholarship (\$125), George H. Jackson; Victoria Lions Club scholarship (\$100), Heather C.

Clark by reversion to T. Bevan Horton; British Columbia Cement Company scholarship (\$100), Marilyn J. E. Bassett by reversion to Heather C. Clark; Victoria Rotary Club scholarship (\$150), Katharine A. Riddle; B.C. Telephone Company scholarship (\$100), Gary E. Corbett; Arthur S. Denny scholarship (\$100), Melvin H. Smith; the Wyllie prize (\$50), Ann Coleman; the Madame Sander-

son Memorial scholarship (\$30), John W. K. Sandys-Wunsch; B.C. Electric Proficiency scholarship (\$200), Sheila M. Carstens; IOOE Golden Jubilee scholarship (\$100), Margaret E. Little; Robert V. Anderton Memorial scholarship (\$30), Donald R. Carlow.

The Benny Nicholas Memorial award (\$100), To Be Announced; The Island Tug and Barge Ltd. scholarship (\$150),

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VANCOUVER (CP)—The age of chivalry is not dead. It just costs a little more. Magistrate Gordon Scott fined Edward Marshall \$5 or five days in jail for obstructing an officer attempting to write a ticket for a woman caught jay-walking. He also assessed Marshall, 39, the \$10 for the woman's jay-walking ticket. The woman, a stranger to the accused, slipped away as Marshall and the constable argued.

George E. Price; University Extension scholarship (\$100), Audrey J. Beaumont; Frank D. Lee scholarship (\$100), Glenn B. Hunnings; Gruen gold wrist

watch, Gary E. Corbett; Birks gold watch, D. Anne Pomeroy; book prize, Katharine A. Riddle; book prize, John W. K. Sandys-Wunsch.

## Pilots Demand Second Airport at Vancouver

VANCOUVER (CP)—Members of the Commercial Airline Pilots' Association here Monday called for opening of another airport to relieve what they said was hazardous conditions at International Airport.

The suggestion was contained in a brief presented to a special investigating committee of the

board of trade and came from Capt. Frank E. W. Smith of CAPA.

"If additional airports were provided to relieve Sea Island, these dangers would disappear," his brief read. "The situation

is not yet desperate, but certain growth of air traffic will soon make it so."

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## WHO'S TO STOP BRICE? BANTAM BASEBALL CRY

George Brice is rapidly becoming the rubber-armed terror of the Bantam Baseball League.

Monday night at Beacon Hill Park, Brice hurled his eighth victory without a loss as Fernwood Eagles trounced Esquimalt Eagles, 14-2. Brice served up a two-hitter and was aided by Gary Leibel's three hits, one a home run.

In the Juvenile League Monday, Terry Lore pitched five-hit ball as Saanich downed Speedway, 5-3.

## IT'S MY VIEW

By BILL WALKER, Sports Editor

The week-end in review, or the reason that radio announcer Ted Reynolds belittled the fishing efforts of others (friendly-like) is that he's addicted to the old adage—"Jealousy is a terrible thing." ... It's even money again this year that he won't make the ladder. ... Frankly the only hope we give him is in the annual Solarium Derby, an event for the underprivileged, and one which deserves the support of all sportsmen. ... then there's the thought that perhaps Ted's eyes really are green. ... but enough of private personalities, the Victoria Hockey Club now has a problem which deserves more than passing mention.

With the Western Hockey League reduced to six teams and the schedule makers faced with a problem of catering to their fans the big question is "when do Victoria puck fans want their regular hockey diet?"

Club general manager Fred Hutchinson would dearly love to keep Friday as the main night, but this may be out of the question. The reason is that Vancouver, morally at any rate, has prior rights to Friday because of longer league service and with only three clubs now on the coast, the difficulty in scheduling is obvious. ... However, Hutchinson has two alternatives. ... One is to play Fridays, when possible, and Saturdays when not, with either Monday or Tuesday as the fill-in days. ... the other is to have a new "night," say Thursday, as the regular evening. ... The wishes of hockey fans being the main consideration, their comment will be appreciated, but immediately. ...

Walker

Take Your Pick, They're Both Worthy

The Times athlete of the year fan balloting closed Saturday, but the results are still pouring in to the office. ... It could be a tremendously close race between Arnie Ferguson and Whitey Severson of boxla fame for the honor and regardless of who wins the decision of the public will be a popular one. ... Meanwhile a complete re-check of the year's ballots will be made before the winner is announced. ... It's that close. ...

Of course the happiest staffer in the office these days is the managing editor Les Fox. ... the Michael Fox who Saturday broke a record of 35 years' standing at University School by running the mile in under five minutes is (you guessed it) the pride and joy of the Fox household. ... apparently the Roger Bannister touch was used with some of Michael's pals acting as pacemakers. ...

Incidentally it's probable that Bannister can do the mile in better time than his fabulous 3:59.4, especially if pressed. ... Two years ago when he won the event at the Penn relays in 4:08.3 he breezed the last quarter in 56.7. ... on his record mile his time for the final four-forty was 58.94. ...

Speaking of breezing, the Shamrocks have started to put daylight between themselves and the rest of the Intercity League. ... their recent string of four victories in seven days were commendable to say the least, and the fact the Irish are winning the close ones is the most pleasing of all. ... And with big Norm Baker due to return to harness Wednesday, the awesome potential of the Rocks becomes even more so.

## Baker Rejoins Irish; Royals Nip Pilseners

Victoria Shamrocks, who can use all the big men they can lay their hands on when they meet Nanaimo Native Sons, will have big Norm Baker back in the line-up for Wednesday night's Intercity Lacrosse game with Nanaimo at Memorial Arena.

Baker, who scored four points in the first game of the season and then retired with a skin infection, is back in top shape and will be working at a forward position with Jackie Northup and Jack Bionda as his linemates.

Other forward units will unite Whitey Severson, Al Gill and Larry Booth on one trio and Harry Irwin, Jack Sibbald and either Tommy Bruce or Bill Bamford on the third line.

Final selection on the third line is contingent on Bamford's injured finger.

Defensesmen guarding George Johnston will be Nip O'Hearn, Bob Monaghan, Arnie Ferguson and Jackie Thompson.

Archie Browning will continue to operate as utility man.

### ROYALS ROLL

Big noise in the league today is the New Westminster Royals, who engineered their second victory of the season Monday night in New Westminster, toppling Vancouver Pilseners, 14-13, in overtime.

The clubs were all square at 10-10 at the end of regulation

time, but Royals scored four goals to three for Pils. Cliff Sepka winging home the winning goal. Sepka scored three goals and three assists to share scoring honors with Pils' Harry Buchanan, who had four goals and two assists.

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## Off to the Races Soon

Working out in preparation for racing debut this summer in Vancouver is Grey Jury, three-year-old filly, owned jointly by Don Carley, of Victoria Riding Academy, and Miss Dorothy Thompson, of Royal Oak. A big horse,

Grey Jury stands 17½ hands. Her sire is Grey Skies; her mother, Jurezzo. Filly shows great promise as a racer. Rider is Brian Peters, 17-year-old apprentice, under contract to Mr. Carley. (Times Photo.)

## Campanella Steals Home To Spark Brooks Again

Campy's back and the turn the National League pennant race into another Brooklyn runaway.

Since big, genial Roy Campanella returned to action they've won every game they've played and now have a streak of 10, as long as any in the circuit this season.

The hard-working catcher fretted following 29 days of inactivity following an operation on his broken left wrist. And his Dodger teammates fretted right along with him, blowing games they should have won, slumping at the plate and bobbling in the field.

Since Campanella went back behind the plate a week ago Sunday, it's been just one victory after another, as the Dodgers moved from fourth place to a firm hold on the league lead.

They had to battle 12 innings Monday night before subduing the St. Louis Cardinals 7-5.

After Carl Furillo singled in the tie-breaking run, Campanella stole home for the extra tally. Duke Snider of the Dodgers hit a homer, triple and double. Stan Musial hit his 19th home run for the Cards.

The New York Giants beat Milwaukee 4-2 and the Boston Red Sox won a pair from Detroit 3-2 and 5-4, the second game in 12 innings. The rest of the teams in both leagues were idle.

Campanella aided the early attack with a home run, and Pee Wee Reese ran his hitting streak to 12 games with a single and a double. The victory marked the third time the Dodgers have had to go into extra innings during their winning spree.

The Braves sank into fourth place as they bowed to the runner-up Giants, who trail Brooklyn by two games. Milwaukee now is four games back.

Whitey Lockman's home run with Wes Westrum on base in the second inning provided the winning margin. Eddie Mathews hit a 420-foot home run in the eighth.

Kellie Challenges For Chess Lead

Lou Kellie defeated G. Jones last week to hold second place in the Victoria City Chess Club's ladder tournament and gain the right to challenge leader T. J. Stewart for first place.

Standings and results follow: 1. T. J. Stewart; 2. L. Kellie; 3. G. Jones; 4. J. A. Muir; 5. E. P. Rolfe; 6. D. S. Marinker; 7. A. Metcalfe; 8. W. Plant; 9. A. Melville; 10. J. H. Lacey; 11. W. Hastings; 12. A. H. Sheard; 13. A. A. Sharpe; 14. O. Jowett; 15. R. Bennett; 16. L. Hall; 17. J. Hobson; 18. T. N. Currie; 19. W. de Havilland; 20. R. Hellinger.

Results follow: Kellie vs. Stewart; Muir vs. Jones; Rolfe vs. Marinker; Plant vs. Parry; Lacey vs. Sheard; Hall vs. Bennett; Currie vs. Hobson; Hellinger vs. de Havilland.

Fourth Victory

Foresters racked up their fourth straight victory in the Colwood and District Softball League Sunday, defeating Mari-gold, 18-7.

Tillicums scored often and early Monday night to record their 10th straight victory without a loss in the Senior B Men's Softball League.

The undefeated leaders stretched their first-place margin to 3½ games by downing the Dons, 9-3, on the strength of nine runs in the first four innings.

Buzz-baller Alf Aspinall limited Dons to three singles, all in the seventh inning, when Dons scored two of their runs.

Third baseman Len Anderson paced Tillicums' nine-hit attack with a double and a single and three runs batted in.

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Minor Lacrosse

Following are the line-ups for the Fernwood and Saanich bantam teams which will meet at Memorial Arena at 7 in a preliminary to the Victoria Shamrock-Nanaimo game.

Saanich — G. Waters, B. O'Hara, D. Craigie, B. Waters, C. Boshier, T. Collett, P. Murphy, D. Turner, P. Viggers, B. Saunders, J. McDonald, B. Taylor.

Fernwood — Mike Mason, V. Simpson, B. Daniels, Craigie, A. Wyatt, W. Peckold, D. Haydon, J. Crabbe, J. Perry, E. Robinson, W. Grant, B. Atkinson, K. Street, J. Galbraith, A. Haydon.

Chain Reaction Wins

TORONTO (CP)—Chain Reaction came back to Woodbine Park Saturday afternoon to win the \$5,000 Connaught Cup, running the mile and one-sixteenth in 1:45 on a rainswept track.

## Local Track Stars Eye New Records

Dominion, B.C. Marks May Fall in Island Meet

By RON COULTER

Several records are expected to tumble at the annual Vancouver Island track and field championships this month. And Victoria thinclads should be in the midst of the record-breaking assault.

The meet, co-sponsored by the Victoria YMCA and Victoria Daily Times, is scheduled for the Gyro cinder track at Victoria High School on June 19, starting at 7 p.m.

Joe Haegart, colorful 15-year-old Victoria "Y" star who recently smashed the city inter-high record for the 220-yard sprint, has set his sights on the Canadian midget 440-yard record of 54.7 set by Don Aitken of Toronto in 1950.

Haegart has shattered the record in training and a special midget 440-yard event has been scheduled in the Island championships to give the speedy youth an official crack at the mark.

If he breaks the existing mark and funds can be raised, an effort will be made to send him to the national midget and juvenile meet in Windsor, July 3.

Peter Harris, also of Vancouver, and Victoria's Cliff Salmon will also be competing in the three-mile event.

Four Victoria "Y" runners could provide the feature of the meet if they are successful in breaking the B.C. one-mile relay mark of 3:27.2. Speedy Jim Kennett, Bob Hutchison, Ted Whan, and Terry Toback will make an attempt to lower the standard.

Vancouver's Doug Kyle last month came within one second of breaking the present Canadian three-mile record of 14:22. He must cut that time down to 14:30 if he is to reach the British Empire Games standard and he will attempt to do so here.

Defending mile champion and present Empire Games titlist Bill Parnell has stated he will attempt to break his Canadian one-mile open record of 4:14.8.

If successful, Parnell will be in a favorable position to represent Canada at the B.E.G. in Vancouver late in July and run against world famous milers Roger Bannister and John Landy.

Women competitors will also be shooting for records. Defending 220-yard champion and meet record-holder at 26.4, Ann Reid will head a starry list of entrants.

Included in the entries are for-

mer Canadian 220-yard champion and provincial record-holder at 25.6. Teamed with Margaret Lightfoot and Rhoda Hughes, the Vancouver quartette, could break the existing relay meet record of 52.5.

Canadian Olympic team member Alice Whitty, also of Vancouver, will be attempting to clear the high jump bar at five feet two inches in an attempt to land a berth on the B.E.G. team. She has been within one-half inch of the Canadian record of five feet three inches.

The meet should present several interesting races and shattered standards.

Included in the entries are for-

and Montreal's Bill Kerr. The newcomers are team captain Henry Martell of Edmonton and Gordie Brydson, pro at the host Mississauga Golf and Country Club and a member of the 1952 Canadian squad.

Defenders of the trophy donated by Montreal Industrialist John Jay Hopkins, the U.S. team is formidable.

Selected by the Professional Golfers' Association in that country, it is captained by Walt Burkemo, PGA champion last year. Holdovers from last year's team are Ted Kroll and Ed Porky Oliver.

Jerry Barber, Chandler Harper, Marty Furgol and Dave Douglas, 1953 Canadian Open winners, are newcomers rounding out the squad. They replace Jack Burke Jr., Tommy Bolt, Julius Boros, Jim Turnesa and Doug Ford from last year's winning line-up.

Locke, troubled by the aftermath of an operation and off his usual fine game last year, looms as the bellwether of the Canadians.

He flew here from Europe for the three-day tournament and says he's playing his best golf of the season.

"I'm physically fit and certain I can come through with some good rounds. However, we must always remember that this United States team—as are all American squads—will be powerful.

"We will have to be at our best to beat them."

LOCKE WARMS UP

TORONTO (CP)—Bobby Locke of South Africa, a member of Canada's team in the Hopkins Trophy international golf matches, limbered up with a three-under-par 69 at nearby Mississauga Golf and Country Club.

Line score, standings follow:

Individuals W L Pct. O.R.L. Bobby Locke 3 2 375 316 Doug Ford 3 2 288 4

LOS ANGELES—Willie Vaughn, 18½, Los Angeles, outpointed Rainey Maye, 159, Los Angeles (10).

Meanwhile, Foul Bay stayed in first place, two games ahead of Nanaimo, by beating Jokers, 13-3.

Art Green and Jackie Milburn, linemates in hockey and lacrosse, led the way with three goals each.

Scorers follow: Foul Bay — Art Green 3, Jack Milburn 3, Jack Reid, Tom Halbert, Mel Davidson, Frank Gower 2, Elmer Matson 1.

Jokers — Walt Aceman, Roy Lawrence, Bill Maye, Total—3. Nanaimo — Don Sherry 9, Clem Linford 4, Baldy Main 4, Tom White 2, Dyeck 2, Ken White 1, Total—22.

Navy — Rod Bolt, Tom Sloan, Total—2.

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Helping the brisk Sherry were Baldy Main and Clem Linford, with four goals each.

## Sports

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## WIL Clubs To Meet Saturday

Finances still was the Western International League's number one problem Tuesday, despite rainy weather which forced postponement of two more games Monday night.

To study the situation Robert Abel, WIL president, has scheduled a directors' meeting in Spokane Saturday. Although he said the session would be a regular one, the financial condition of the 10 teams would get top consideration.

Originally, Abel announced the meeting for Yakima Wednesday but switched it because of the ill-health of Roy Hotchkiss, owner of the Spokane Indians. Hotchkiss would be unable to travel to Yakima. His club is one of those whose future operation is in doubt.

TYEES IDLE AGAIN

The games rained out Monday night were Victoria at Spokane and Calgary at Edmonton. In the contests that did get played, the top three teams lost to second division competition. League-leading Vancouver was dumped by Lewiston, 5-4. Wenatchee was toppled by Tri-City, 8-4, and Yakima lost to Salem, by the same score.

A hometown boy accounted for Lewiston's triumph over Vancouver. Ken Peterson, just out of the Navy and newly signed by the Brocks, rapped out a single in the last of the ninth to send in Nick Cannull and break up a 4-4 tie.

## On The OUTDOOR FRONT

With DENNY BOYD

Now Walt Summerfeldt knows why they call it Misery Bay. Walt, an ardent disciple of the Strip Teaser, was fishing out of the Goldstream end of Saanich Inlet, circling between Misery Bay and Heglins Reef last week with partner Johnny Hampton.

It was just breaking day and they were fishing a weed line during a tide change.

Walt hadn't had his line in the water for more than five minutes when Bingo! a fish was on.

He tenderly coaxed the fish up to the boat and saw he had a five or six-pounder, something big enough to put on the ladder. Johnny reached out for the dropper weight and the fish took that opportunity to high-tail it for other parts. One fish gone.

Walt rebaited his Teaser with a fresh strip, plunked it back in and in the time it took him to get his line out, Bingo! another fish. This one whammed, tugged and wrestled when Walt got his line in, no fish and no herring strip. He put a new strip on, put his line out again and Bingo! a strike that was five times as hard as the others. Just as Walt muttered to Johnny, "This one's really hooked," the line parted and Walt brought up five feet of leader with no Strip Teaser.

Soon after, they made a run through Misery Bay and bumped into a huge school of three and four-pound bluebacks that were boiling the water. They made repeated runs through the school, varying their speed each time, but didn't get a touch, even though the fish were all around the boat.

The word for the majority of Lower Island fishing over the week-end was "poor" and you can use any adjectives you want. Buffeting winds kept most of the salt water clan at home and Game Warden Bob Sinclair reports that trout fishing locally was very bad.

Even so, a lot of anglers, so intent on getting on the ladder in the first week that they ignored the wind and cold, did venture out but without notable success. Andy Anderson took a party into the mouth of Todd Inlet and got two of his passengers on the ladder, fella by the name of Ting or Tong or Tang or something like that and his wife. Both qualified with 6½-pounders.

Down in Mountain Home, Ark., a couple took the opportunity of exceptionally low water to make a minute search along the shallows of Lake Norfolk.

They found 10 rods and reels, 30 minnow buckets, 11 anchors, a bushel basket of plugs, spoons and bobbers, 125 pounds of lead sinkers, a varied assortment of piles, lighters and knives and, best of all, a wallet containing \$700 in soggy but loveable bills.

A similar but not quite so lucrative accident befell outdoors writer Fred Blood, who was fishing Doe Creek, in Tennessee, during a rainstorm. Ted made a long cast with a fly, retrieved it and found a five-dollar bill on the hook.

Ranger Notes—The South Vancouver Island Rangers have an interesting and informative evening lined up for their general meeting, at the Ranger clubhouse, June 21 at 8.

First off, Charlie Guiguet, Provincial Museum biologist, will give a talk with controversial opinions relative to game animals. Among the points the well-informed Charlie will discuss are the proper way to dress a deer; and woodchucks and other parasites and their effects; and the nesting and mating habits of water fowl. Charlie will answer all questions put to him.

Following his talk, G. H. Patrick of Ducks Unlimited will show the newly-released color film, "Canada Goose." This will be the first Victoria showing.

Mrs. W. S. Smith Uplands Medalist

Mrs. W. S. Smith fired a gross 87 to become medalist in the qualifying round of the Uplands Golf Club women's championship. Runner-up was Mrs. S. D. Horsford, with gross 91.

## Arrows Halt Student Drive

The honeymoon is over as far as Chinese Students are concerned.

### FISH BIGGER THAN ANGLER

KETCHIKAN, Alaska (AP) — Seven-year-old David Le Galley Jr. won the Annette Island Tamgass Harbor Club salmon derby Saturday, and here's how:

He caught a 64-pound, one-ounce salmon. That's 12½ pounds heavier than David himself.

The boy was fishing with his parents and his mother caught a 10-pounder. His father handed him his pole and the youngster soon hooked the big fish. It broke a landing net and had to be gaffed to be brought into their boat.

### Tigers, Bombers Score Boxla Wins

Tigers and Blue Bombers both hung up victories Monday to stay in a first-place tie in the Diaper Lacrosse League standings.

Tigers downed Young Shamrocks, 7-4, with Larry Johnson scoring four goals, and Bombers nipped Cougars, 5-4.

Scorers follow: Tigers—Larry Johnson 4, Murty Marchant 2, Bob Griffiths 2. Total—7. Young Shamrocks—Richard Everson 2, Dave Thomson 1, Ray Beech 1. Total—4.

Blue Bombers—Al Spaven 3, John Mosier 1, Rod Leason 1. Total—5. Cougars—Bob Robinson 2, Bill Jones 1, Walt Gallop 1. Total—4.



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## Victoria Daily Times TUESDAY, JUNE 8, 1954 Ladder Derby Standings

A Ford, with a 21.8-pound fish, was the top weekly winner in the first week of the Victoria-Saanich Inlet Angels' Association Ladder Derby, it was officially announced Monday night.

Derby officials named Ford winner of the first weekly prize. J. M. Wood second with a 20.4 fish, Alex Onischuk third with 19.4, Henry Lou Poy fourth with an 18-pounder, and Paul Johnson, fifth with a 17.8-pounder.

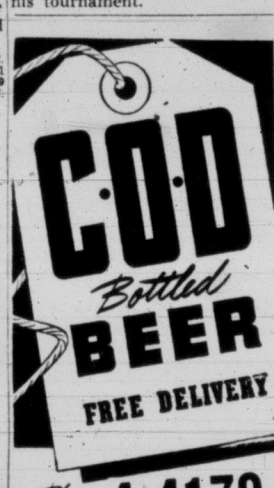
David Justice won the hidden weight prize with an 8½-pounder. The unofficial ladder list published in Monday's Times was correct, as approved by derby officials.

Three anglers who missed the first weekly ladder wasted no time seeking berths on the second ladder. Weighing in fish Monday were:

Dave Whitlaw, 10.2 pounds; William Davis, 7 pounds; Doug Peden, 4.4 pounds.

### MAIN LOSER

BRUSSELS (AP) — Nafeth Kumar and Narendra Nath of India Monday defeated Lorne Main of Toronto and Vancouver and Irving Dorfman of New York, 6-2, 5-7, 9-7, to win the men's doubles in the Brussels Leopold Club international tennis tournament.



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## Patton, Toski Barely Qualify For U.S. Open

NEW YORK (AP)—Billy Joe Patton, amateur sensation of the recent Masters tournament, and Bob Toski, leading money winner among the pros, had narrow squeaks Monday before winning berths in next week's U.S. open golf tournament.

Both were forced into play-offs at their respective qualifying centres.

Patton, Morganton, N.C., lumberman who gave Sam Snead and Ben Hogan a hot battle at Augusta in April, ended in a tie with three others with 144 scores for the sixth and last position in the field at Burlington, Ont., qualified by firing a 73-73—146 to win one of the eight berths allotted to competitors in the State of Michigan.

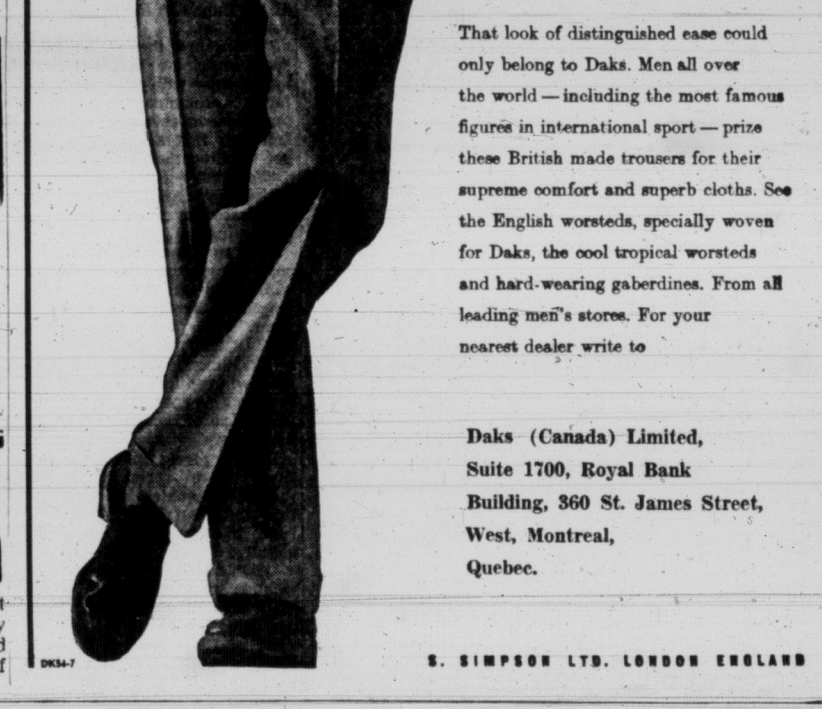
Winnipeg-born Bill Ezinicki, the former National Hockey League player turned golfer, grabbed an alternate spot in Massachusetts with a 72-76—143 at Winchester, Mass.

Big names who failed to make the grade included Ed Porky Oliver of Lemont, Ill.; Johnny Palmer of Houston, Tex.; Jerry Barber of Lacanada, Calif.; Argentina's Roberto de Vicenzo and the veteran Jimmy Hines, Rudy Horvath, of Windsor, Ont.

BROOKLYN—Joy Maxim, 171, Cleveland, outpointed Floyd Patterson, 168, Brooklyn (16).

NEW YORK—Archie Moore, 189½, Miami, stopped Bert Whitehurst, 186½, Baltimore (16), non-title.

BERLIN—W.H. Vera Stevanon, 163, Montreal, stopped Smitty Hicks, 159, Portland, Me. (1).



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## LEAVING THEIR COWS BEHIND?

Victoria's visit of Chamber of Commerce members to Calgary on the good-will "daffodil tour" earlier this year will be reciprocated by the Calgary chamber in August.

President of the chamber there, J. Howard Kelly, QC, has tentative plans to bring 50 chamber members to Victoria for a one-day visit August 31.

Scheduled also is a luncheon to be addressed by N. Eldon Tanner, president of Trans-Canada Pipe Lines.



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Canada now stands second among world nations in consumption of oil, W. O. Twaits, Toronto, vice-president, Imperial Oil Co. Ltd., said here Monday.

### Mrs. Gilstrap Appointed by Library Board

Mrs. Isabel Gilstrap was appointed acting head of the circulation department of the Victoria Public Library at a meeting of the library board Monday. She succeeds Miss Joey Wilson who is leaving to be married.

Miss Ida Gibbard, of Vancouver, a recent graduate of library school, was engaged by the board to fill a vacancy in the children's department.

The board accepted the resignation of Mrs. Francis Bonney, a professional librarian, who has been employed on a part-time basis. She and her husband are moving to the United States.

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Mr. Twaits disclosed these figures at a press conference held in connection with a three-day meeting here of top officials of Standard Oil Co. of New Jersey and affiliate companies.

Among oil officials present at the conference were H. H. Hewson, director, Standard Oil Co. of New Jersey; A. T. Proudfoot, president, Creole Petroleum Corporation, Caracas, Venezuela; and S. P. Coleman, Standard, chairman of the organization's co-ordinating committee.

New Jersey Standard's policy, it was pointed out, was complete decentralization of affiliate companies; but there was consultation through the co-ordinating committee on technical and other problems based on world-wide experience.

### BIG B.C. INVESTMENT

Approximately 10 million B.C. acres now are being surveyed by Imperial Oil, mostly in the Peace River block, J. R. White, Imperial president, said. So far no attempt has been made to bring in a well, but geological and seismic work is underway.

"We are looking for both gas and oil, in large quantities," he said.

Exclusive of exploration costs, Imperial's investment in B.C. now stands at \$35,000,000.

Oil lease activity in B.C. had been quiet for "five or six years," Mr. Twaits said, but neither he nor Mr. White expressed any doubts that oil or gas would eventually be found in the province.

## CITY LIBRARY'S 'HE' BIBLE TOO VALUABLE FOR DISPLAY

Victoria Public Library owns a "He" Bible. This came to light at a library board meeting Monday, when a matter of insurance was raised.

The "He" Bible is insured since it is worth about \$3,000. It is valuable because of a mistake. It is one of a limited number of Bibles printed in 1611 which says "He" in the Book of Ruth where it should say "She."

Because of its value, this particular copy is not on display, but is kept wrapped and stored in a safe place.

## Atom Already Being Used By 1,000 Industrial Firms

JASPER, Alta. (CP)—The world has already entered a new industrial era based on atomic energy, John J. Hopkins said Tuesday.

Mr. Hopkins, chairman of General Dynamics Corporation, New York, and of Canadaair, Ltd., Montreal, forecast that the new era holds almost infinite possibilities for meeting human needs and wants beyond those made real by the development of steam and electricity.

He foresaw in an address prepared for delivery to the Canadian Manufacturers' Association a world of the near future in which atomic energy would heat and power factories, light cities, cook foods, cure ills and propel ships, planes and trains and even cars.

Mr. Hopkins said more than 1,000 industrial concerns in Canada and the United States are

already employing the atom in everyday operations.

The atom also offers great hope for continental Europe which faces a power shortage in the foreseeable future, he said.

While atomic power needs were not so urgent in North America because of supplies of other forms of energy, nevertheless Canada should not allow herself to be lulled into ignoring the possibilities of the mighty atom.

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## Victoria Man Gets \$2,500 in Estate Settlement

Settlement of a family dispute over the \$50,000 estate of Edward Stephen Harris, who died at Langley Prairie in March, 1953, will result in Frank Harris of Victoria receiving a bequest of \$2,500. Five other children will receive

a similar amount, while four others will receive about \$4,300. The dispute over the estate arose when Mr. Harris made no provisions for his widow and five of his children under a will which he made 15 months before his death. The dispute was finally settled out of court in Vancouver.

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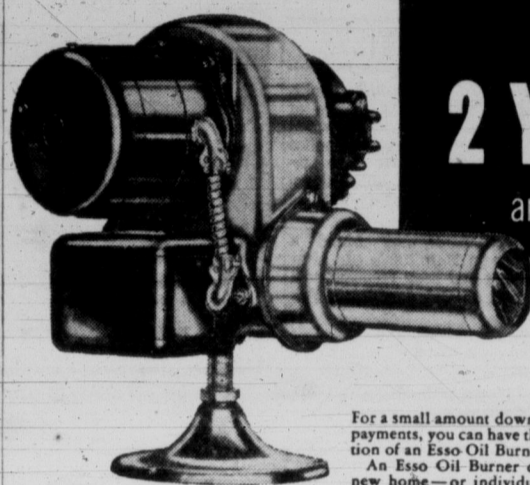
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### Citizen Ceremony Planned on July 1

Permission has been granted by the city to the Greater Victoria Citizenship Council to stage a citizenship ceremony in Beacon Hill Park on Dominion Day, July 1.

The ceremony will be held in the morning, starting at 11. Similar ceremonies have been staged by the council for the last seven years.

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### Sunshine Camp Gleams After Volunteer Work

Volunteer work parties swarmed over Sunshine Camp, near Sooke, Sunday as final preparations were made for the first family camp, June 25-July 3.

The camp, which is fostered by the Family and Children's Service, a Community Chest agency, is open to families first and later to blind persons and old-age pensioners.

Fees are on a sliding scale to suit the income of the applicants. Fifty volunteers from the carpenters', roofers', painters' and electricians' unions worked at the camp Sunday.

The recreational hall was re-roofed and the staff quarters were repaired and painted. Clubmen from the several organizations which undertake sponsorship of cabins in the camp also worked on their projects.

### WIRE NEWS BRIEFS

#### Frenchmen to Enter Army June 28

PARIS (UP)—The first French conscripts, called to the colors in an emergency draft to meet the Indo-China war emergency, will enter service June 28, it was announced today.

The "Official Journal" said the earliest call will go to youths born between Sept. 1, 1933 and April 30, 1934.

The draft speed up was ordered by the cabinet to free regular troops now serving elsewhere as reinforcements for the anticipated battle with Communist forces now massing for an assault on the Red River Delta and Hanoi, Indo-China.

#### Power Project Can Start Soon

NEW YORK (AP)—New York State and Ontario power authorities today agreed on a construction schedule for the St. Lawrence power project. They said their objective is the start of power sales in four years. They said actual construction of the \$600,000,000 project can start in a "very few weeks."

#### City Man Arrested in Vancouver

VANCOUVER (CP)—Colin Chambers, 21, of Victoria, today asked to see a psychiatrist when he pleaded guilty in police court to carrying an offensive weapon.

He was arrested last Friday night when police found him carrying a sawed-off rifle, fully-loaded, in a shoulder holster.

"OK, you've got me, but it would have been too bad if I'd had a chance to use it," Chambers told the arresting officers.

### NEWS BRIEFS

Richard Carl Hamilton, Sooke, pleaded guilty to a charge of stealing a child's tricycle, when he appeared in Oak Bay police court Monday. He was remanded to June 11, when a probation officer's report will be submitted.

Police said they found a tricycle in Hamilton's car after a report had been received of a theft at an Oak Bay Park, Friday.

Colwood RCMP handled five traffic cases in Saturday court, total fines amounting to \$90. Careless driving cost Charles D. Carnegie, Happy Valley, \$35, while speeding in a school zone meant fines of \$15 each for Alexander Hutcheson, Robert R. McCall and George Fortune, Victoria. Driver's license were endorsed.

For speeding in a 30 mph zone, John J. Bartlett, Victoria, paid a \$35 fine and had his license endorsed.

Arthur Mailhot, Rocky Point, pleaded not guilty to a charge of driving while impaired, when he appeared in city police court Monday. He was remanded on \$250 bail to June 23.

George Humiston, 1140 Hollis Road, reported to police the loss or theft of canvas sails valued at between \$250 and \$300, from his lightning class sloop at Royal Victoria Yacht Club.

He is also missing a fawn jacket with \$20 and personal papers.

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### Oronsay Passengers Irked by Tardiness

VANCOUVER (CP)—Angry passengers debarked Monday from the 28,000-ton luxury liner Oronsay, protesting the slowness of immigration and medical clearances.

Among the passengers were top-ranking Australian and New Zealand business men. Many protested that standing in line-ups wasn't part of luxury service.

The liner docked here late Sunday night with 1,349 passengers, but they were not allowed to leave the ship until this morning.

"This type of thing will kill the tourist traffic to Canada," said a spokesman for the Orient Line, operators of the big ship. "They treated our first class and tourist passengers the same way they do displaced persons entering Canada on the east coast."

Dr. W. F. Frost, of the immigration medical services, said it was partly the ship's fault. There was no organized system such as calling passengers for inspection in alphabetical order.

### SLOW DRIVER FINED \$10

Magistrate A. I. Thomas fined Arthur Weberg of Victoria \$10 Saturday in the province's first conviction for "slowpoke" driving.

Weberg was convicted on police evidence that he drove at a slow speed in a 50-mile zone while traffic was heavy both ways.

A warning has been issued by other police detachments that slow drivers who do not pull over to the side of the road or who otherwise impeded traffic will be similarly dealt with.

### Tacoma Youth Dies, Car Drops on Him

TACOMA (AP)—Donald Shotwell, 17, died Monday, after being crushed beneath his car. The youth, a high school pupil and son of a Tacoma contractor, was working underneath the car when a chain suspending the front of the car in air apparently slipped. The car's front end dropped on Shotwell's head and chest, officials said.

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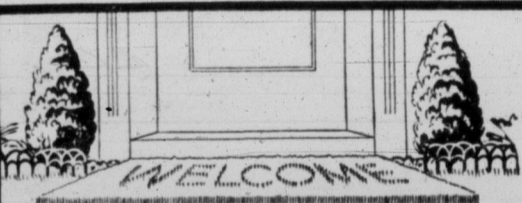


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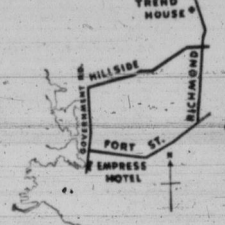
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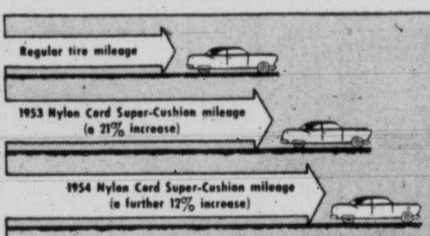
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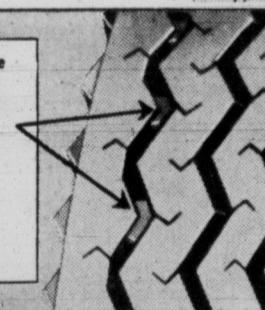


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## PRAIRIE FOLK WOULD PAY TO SEE FLO SWIM STRAITS

Although she lives far from salt water, Grace Posnick of Nipawan, Sask., is keenly interested in Flo Chadwick's forthcoming long-distance ocean swim, across Juan de Fuca Strait.

In a letter to The Times, Miss Posnick writes:

"I understand you are sponsoring the swim for Miss Chadwick this summer. Please be kind enough to send me immediately information regarding when the swim

is going to take place, and where it is possible to obtain reserved tickets (price also). Similar letters have been received from points all over Canada and the United States.

To answer Miss Posnick: The swim will be held between Aug. 9 and 14.

There is no charge. The swim is sponsored by the Bapeo Paint Company jointly with The Times as a public service, and a publicity effort on behalf of this area.



## BETWEEN TIMES

By MONTE ROBERTS

As the observation from J. P. Thornton, 943 Wilmer: "The City Fathers recently set up an inscribed log by the cricket pitch in Beacon Hill Park:

"CRICKET PITCH. PLAYING SINCE 1850."

"I think it should be explained for the benefit of our American visitors that the first innings was completed some time ago.

"What they are seeing now is the second innings. That should be completed around 2000 A.D."

Play up, the side.

A columnist rarely pleases all of the people all of the time, or even a few people occasionally. But, as far as C. T. Johnston of Haultain Street is concerned, I please none of the people none of the time.

As far as Mr. Johnston is concerned, better I should pack up my papers and go back to Trawna.

The reason Mr. Johnston waxes wroth is because I am apt to take a dim view of Victoria's version of summer weather.

On occasion, I publish sneering remarks on the subject, and these sneering remarks make Mr. Johnston very cross indeed.

"What is the use of the Tourist Bureau spending all that money advertising for tourists?" Mr. Johnston asks. "The tourists read the ads and come to Victoria. Then they read Roberts' column, and Roberts says the weather's no good, so they go home."

(These may not be Mr. Johnston's exact words—they were reported to me second-hand—but I'm sure you're getting his point.)

"Roberts is actually driving people out of town. What is wrong with Roberts? Victoria weather is wonderful."

The gentleman who repeated Mr. Johnston's remarks to me also had an explanation for them.

"Mr. Johnston comes from Moose Jaw," he said.

Q.E.D.

Out of deference to Mr. Johnston, I will not run the question and answer I was going to run today, as follows:

Question: If winter comes, can summer be far behind?

Answer: You're darn tootin'.

What time is the next train for Trawna?

## TOPICS OF THE TIMES

A Vancouver man who didn't know how he got there was fined \$250 in Saanich police court Monday for driving while impaired by alcohol.

Laurence Mills, Vancouver, told police he remembered drinking on the Vancouver boat but didn't recall how he'd arrived at Cedar Hill Crossroads, where he was arrested.

Magistrate H. C. Hall imposed the fine or 12 days in jail and warned the accused that a recommendation of suspension of driving privileges would be forwarded to the superintendent of motor vehicles.

James Gray, 1592 Hampshire Road, has been appointed a member of the appeal board of the Oak Bay Town Planning organization.

His appointment was made today in an order-in-council ap-

proved by the provincial cabinet. Mr. Gray succeeds the late Lorne W. Campbell.

Ten dollars fine and \$3 costs were paid by Aleck Vaux and John D. Kissinger at Colwood Court-Saturday for failing to have carrier plates on trucks.

About 12 stitches were required to close two gashes in the arm of 14-year-old Bernard Payne, 5843 Old West Road, who was rushed to Jubilee Hospital by Saanich police this morning. He was bitten when he tried to separate two fighting dogs.

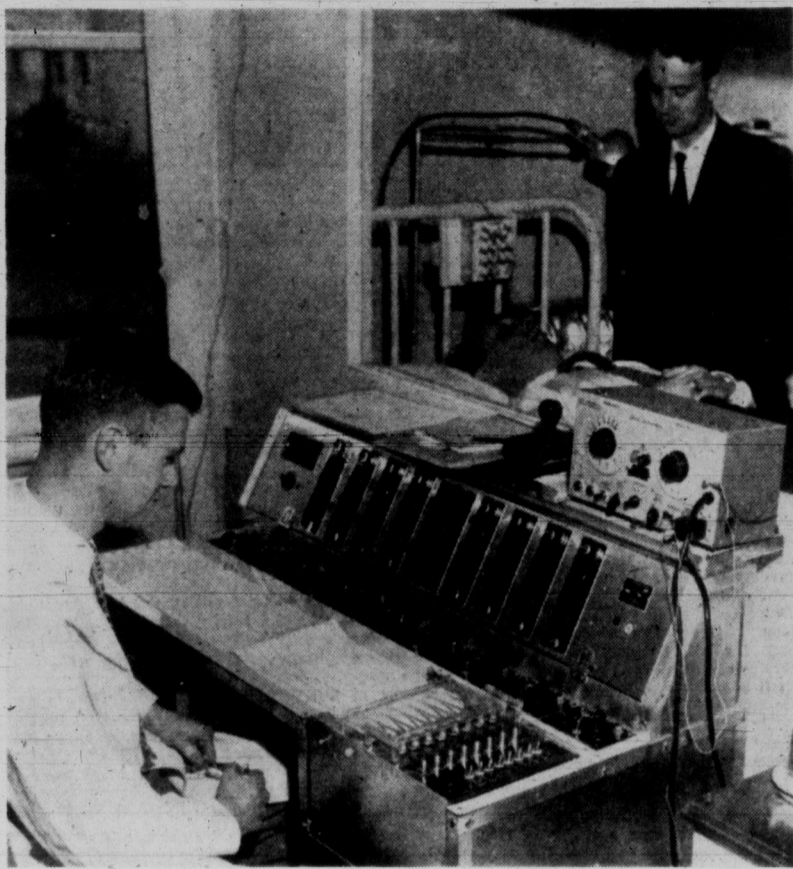
Douglas G. Cole, HMCS Naden, paid \$40 in Esquimalt court Monday for driving while under suspension. Fred K. Hamilton, 1406 Elford, was fined \$25 for failing to have liability insurance on his car while a minor, and William Leach, 612 View, and Donald R. Silcock, View Royal, each paid \$15 for exceeding the 30-mile limit. Murray A. Parks, HMCS Naden, paid \$15 for "over-30" and an additional \$5 for passing a stop sign without pausing.

Thomas Sexton, 1251 Rudlin, was fined \$25 for driving without a license when he appeared today in city court. John King, 2504 Government, paid \$15 for passing the flag of a school patrol at a crosswalk, and Angus Plachner, 420 Vancouver, paid the same fine for not allowing a pedestrian right of way in a stop-when-occupied zone.

Ralph M. McCordie, Work Point Baracks, was fined \$250 with option of 12 days in jail when he pleaded guilty today to impaired driving.

He was arrested Monday after he failed to halt behind a line of traffic which was stopped for a red light, and caused a collision. Magistrate H. C. Hall said he would recommend suspension of his driver's license.

Gerald W. Bowden, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Bowden, 1814 Monteith, is among 1,100 seniors and graduate students of the University of Oregon who will receive degrees at commencement exercises at the Eugene campus on Sunday next. Bowden is a candidate for a Bachelor of Business Administration degree.



Provincial Secretary Wesley Black, in bed, with wires sprouting from skull, is tended by Dr. Robert Peet. Technician D. Riddell turns knobs, as machine draws wiggly "brainwaves."

Set cost, \$4,300—lab., \$7,000.

## ELECTROENCEPHALOGRAPH TESTED AT JUBILEE

### Black's Blink Blurs Outcome In Brain-Test Device Try-Out

By PETE LOUDON

They put a brain-testing machine on a B.C. cabinet minister at Jubilee Hospital Monday—and he checked out normal.

It took place following official opening of Jubilee's new \$41,000 psychiatric ward. Administrator George Masters was showing Provincial Secretary Wesley Black where the money went. They walked into a little room with just one bed in it and a machine.

"This cost about \$7,000," said Mr. Masters.



DR. D. B. FINN

### Fishery Expert, Now With UN, To Lecture Here

A former deputy minister of Canadian fisheries, Dr. Donald B. Finn, will be in Victoria this week to address two city organizations.

Dr. Finn, who at present is the director of the Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations at Rome, will speak to the Victoria Rotary Club at noon Thursday, and to the local branch of the United Nations in the Metropolitan Church Assembly Hall at 8 p.m. Thursday.

Born in London, England, in 1900, Dr. Finn moved to Canada in his youth, and was educated at University of Manitoba, receiving his Bachelor of Science degree in 1924, his Master's degree in 1926, and a Ph.D. at Cambridge, England, in 1933.

From 1924 to 1930, he was a director of the Fisheries Experimental Station at Prince Rupert.

In 1940, Dr. Finn was appointed deputy minister of fisheries at Ottawa. From 1942 to 1946 he served on the Combined Food Board in Washington, D.C., and in 1946 was appointed to his present post.

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A reading calls for a half-hour rest before the patient is tested and takes about half an hour to complete. The rest is

"An electroencephalograph," said Mr. Masters, "for recording brain impulses. It is used in diagnosis of epilepsy, brain tumors, brain abscesses or in locating injury to the brain."

Dr. Robert Peet, who specializes in the neurology and psychiatry, and the man who runs the machine, technician D. Riddell, took over explanations at that point. They were almost as complicated as the name of the machine. But boiled down, here's what it does:

It picks up electrical impulses necessary because uneven breathing caused by slight exertion makes the wiggly line on the chart look like a side view of the Alps.

The machine is so sensitive that—well, look what nearly happened to Mr. Black:

He volunteered to take the part of a patient. The tiny wires were attached and the less brave remainder of the inspection party gathered to watch the chart.

Now Mr. Riddell had explained that a normal reaction looks like a slim little snake going somewhere as straight as he can wriggle. But when they turned the juice on Mr. Black it looked as if that snake were rearing back to strike every few inches.

### Trouble Traced to Eyelid Flicker

His friends were starting to look at one another apprehensively. "Stop, blinking your eyes, just keep them closed," said Mr. Riddell. Sure enough, the little snake settled down to a slightly undulating progress.

Reaction was normal. The slight twitch of eye muscles almost tore it for Mr. Black. He looked a trifle smug when he examined his chart but Mr. Riddell told him that only two or three contacts had been made. That is the merit of the EEG (short form). It can register normally on 13 of the 14 points and with the last point a trouble area for a surgeon.

It is absolutely painless. The electroencephalograph was developed by a German, Dr. Hans Berger, in 1902, but had been experimented with as early as 1874 in England. It came into clinical medicine in the thirties, but is still rare possession in hospitals, and is the only one on Vancouver Island.

Modern equipment and ideas are common in the new Jubilee psychiatric unit which boasts 16 beds, a shop for occupational therapy, a consultation room, patients' lounge and a secluded

patio-garden to preserve the patients' privacy. All furnishings were donated by the Junior Auxiliary. "A complete unit for a good mental health program," Mr. Masters calls it.

### Kyrle C. Symons New RSSG Head

Kyrle C. Symons was elected president of the Royal Society of St. George at a recent meeting in St. Michael's School.

Harry Langley was elected vice-president; Mrs. Bertha Parsons, secretary; and H. H. Hollins, treasurer.

Chaplain is Rev. William Hills.

Elected to the executive were: Mrs. L. Lovatt, Mrs. B. Rudock, Mrs. A. B. Chatton, Mrs. E. O. Norton, Mrs. W. R. Halley, George W. Deaville, and H. H. Hollins.

### \$21,000 Apartment Planned on View Street

Building permit for a \$21,000 apartment building has been taken out by Mrs. Anna Somi. It is to contain four suites and will be built at 1159 View Street. Patrick Birley is the architect.

## City Tug Sails For Caribbean

### Ex-Corvette To Tow Ship To Victoria for Repair

The Victoria deepsea tug and salvage craft, Sudbury, most powerful of her type on the Pacific Coast, is scheduled to leave this evening on an approximate two-month voyage down the North American coast.

The 265-foot Island Tug & Barge towboat, originally built as a corvette, will pick up a 320-foot, 3,000-ton vessel of British registry, and tow her back to Victoria for repairs.

Sudbury, which was added to the Island Tug & Barge fleet in April, carries a crew of 19 Victoria and Vancouver men under Capt. John McQuarrie.

She has just completed an extensive overhaul at Yarrow's Ltd., where a new, higher speed towing wheel was installed. Since joining the Island Tug & Barge fleet, the ship has also acquired complete salvage and diving equipment, a radar screen capable of scanning a circle with a 90-mile diameter, Loran position fixing gear, echo depth finder and special refrigeration equipment.

All supplies for the two-month voyage, including perishable produce, were put aboard in Victoria.

### DIVER ABOARD

Sailing as bosun in Sudbury is deepsea diver Jack Daley. The ship carries gear for four divers, compressors, underwater saws, and compressed air guns for underwater work.

The propeller will be removed from the British vessel to make for easier towing on the long haul home.

Exact location of the vessel was not revealed by Island Tug officials, but it was understood Sudbury is headed for the Caribbean Sea area.

## CITY'S TROUBLES ALSO?

### Seals or Weather, Blame the A-Bomb

Recent hydrogen bomb blasts in the Pacific were blamed today by Victoria's mayor for the city's poor weather.

The mayor drew attention to the fact that a number of dead seals had been found on beaches near Victoria, and remarked that it is unusual for seals to be so far south.

"Something has driven them from the up grounds up north," he said.

He was welcoming delegates to the 15th annual conference of the B.C. Municipal Officers' Association being held today and Wednesday in the old Legislative "Birdcage" buildings on Superior Street.

He also touched on the question of remuneration for municipal employees, and said "it's not what you'd like to have, but what the public purse can stand."

He asked conference members to "bear in mind those projects which bring nothing (such as capital expenditure for waterworks) can't pay wages. Remember that when employees come to you for more."

B. C. Bracewell, deputy minister of municipal affairs, told the conference that Canadian municipalities are ahead of those in the U.S.

He went on to say that he thought B.C. municipalities were ahead of the rest of Canada in administrative progress.

"I'm not saying this boastfully," he said, "but encouragingly." He stated that Canadian heritages had done much to bring this situation about, and that they are worth preserving.

"We're not always prating them and dangling them about, but I'm convinced that they're there," he finished.

D. A. Young, Victoria comptroller-treasurer, reminded members that auditing is important in finding that costs are not only controlled, but that they are the lowest possible. He was speaking on "Control of Municipal Finance."

Budgeting should be a year-round task, not just annual, he stated. "Unless this is done."

## DIVORCES

Divorces granted in Supreme Court Monday are as follows:

Edith Josephine Olson, 2119 Oak Bay Avenue, from Rosevelt Sophus Olson, married Port Angeles, February 9, 1925; Violet May Kathleen Bishop, 784 Burnside Road, from Wilton George Bishop, married Halifax, March 30, 1944; John Charles Rivers, 324 Menzies Street, from Marjorie Ellen Rivers, married Victoria, September 17, 1943; Gladys Blanche Orrick, 148 St. Lawrence Street, from David Bruce Orrick, married Vancouver, July 19, 1951; Earl James Carter, 3118 Rutledge Street, from Flora Gertrude Carter, married Victoria, December 10, 1947; Ruth Mercer, Victoria, from Roland Nicholas Mercer, married Victoria, December 31, 1928; William Thomas Glanfield, 2044 Neil Street, from Emily Gloria Glanfield, married Londonderry, Ireland, April 18, 1905.

## Peace River Sole B.C. Hope For Oil or Gas

### Sommers Reviews Position for Oilmen

There is little prospect for economic production of petroleum and natural gas in B.C. other than in the Peace River region, Lands and Forests Minister Robert Sommers said here today.

Addressing executive officers of the Standard Oil Co. of New Jersey at noon, Mr. Sommers said that to date in the area 84 drillings had been made and half abandoned.

Final figures for estimated production of natural gas from the Peace area would not be available until more testing had been made.

In a general review of the province's industrial wealth, he said gross manufacturing value in B.C. in 1953 totaled \$1,500 million, and of this 60 per cent came from the primary industries of forestry, mining, fishing and agriculture in that order of importance.

On forestry, he said government policy was to place every acre of Crown forest land on a sustained-yield basis as soon as possible and "private industry must be induced to assist." The Crown owns about 93 per cent of productive forest land in the province.

## 2 CITY COCKTAIL BARS TO COST \$80,000 TOTAL

Victoria's first cocktail bar may be opened July 1.

H. B. "Barney" Olson, proprietor of the Strathcona Hotel, said today that is the date he is driving for.

Farmer Construction Ltd. is converting part of the building as a cocktail lounge. A building permit for \$12,000 has been issued by the city, but Mr. Olson said furnishings and equipment will bring the total cost to close to \$30,000.

The Strathcona lounge has been designed by Semmens and Simpson, Vancouver architects.

In the meantime, work is proceeding on the Empress Hotel's cocktail lounge, and according to manager T. A. Chester progress made to date is "according to schedule."

Mr. Chester was unable to suggest an opening date for the lounge since he said there might be some delay in delivery of carpets and chairs.

It is considered likely, however, the Empress lounge will be ready some time in August.

The CPR is spending about \$50,000 on its conversion. Contract for structural alterations is in the hands of D. W. Burnett.

The Strathcona and Empress are the only two Victoria hotels so far licensed to have cocktail bars.

### Charity Grants Meeting June 15

City Council will hold a special meeting Thursday, June 15, to consider 24 requests for grants which have been made of the city since the beginning of the year.

The city set aside \$25,000 for give-away purposes earlier and the "kitty" is now down below \$20,000 owing to grants already approved for the British Empire Games and the Greater Victoria Celebrations Association.

### NATO Newsmen Arrive Friday

Thirteen NATO countries will be represented by a party of 21 prominent newspaper men who are scheduled to arrive here Friday morning for a 24-hour tour of RCN establishments.

The newspaper writers are on a three-week tour of Canada under the sponsorship of the department of external affairs. Countries represented are: Belgium, Denmark, France, Greece, Iceland, Italy, Luxembourg, Netherlands, Norway, Portugal, Turkey, United Kingdom and United States.

### Douglass to Talk On Safe Driving

A public meeting on driving safety will be addressed by Sergeant Brooke Douglass, head of city police traffic division, June 23 at the Hard-of-Hearing Hall.

The meeting, which will be under sponsorship of the Lower Vancouver Island Traffic and Safety Association, is aimed at increasing public understanding of modern traffic problems.

Sharing the speakers' platform will be Charles Copeland, in charge of driver education at the Motor Vehicle Branch, provincial government, and Fred Davidson, B.C. Electric safety manager.

Applications for membership in the LVITSA will be accepted following the discussions.

Saanich police launched a four-week course in traffic safety Monday night at Royal Oak High School and about 100 bus and truck drivers turned out. The course is directed by Robert Swanson, chief inspector of the provincial department of railways which is co-sponsor of the classes, with the police and the traffic association.

### Miss M. F. Dawson Dead Here at 91

A long-time resident of Victoria, Miss Mary Fry Dawson, 1020 St. Charles Street, died at her home Monday night. She was 91.

Miss Dawson, who was born in Quebec City, came to Victoria in 1911. Her brother, George Herbert Dawson, who predeceased her in 1940, served at one time as surveyor-general for the province.

A well-known member of St. John's Church, she was an honorary life member of the VON.

Funeral services for Miss Dawson will be conducted at her home at 1.15 Thursday with Rev. George Biddle officiating.

Cremation will follow the service with Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel handling arrangements.

## ASK THE TIMES

Q.—Can you tell me when the first hunting licenses were sold to residents of British Columbia?—W.T.W.

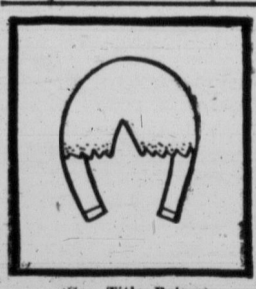
A.—The license system of conserving the game resources is a comparatively modern thing in this province. It was not until 1913 the first licenses were issued.

Q.—Could you please give us the answer to this problem: In the case of a husband who is opposed to making a will or to carrying life insurance, just who would his beneficiary be—a married son or a married daughter from his first marriage, or after years of being a widower and then re-marrying, would his second wife inherit his wealth should he predecease her?—H.N. and N.N.

A.—This column does not answer legal questions. The proper course for you in connection with the involved question you ask is to seek advice from an experienced lawyer.

Anyone wishing a question answered is invited to send the problem along to The Times, addressed to "Ask The Times" Editor. Questions and answers will be published daily. All questions should deal with matters of fact and be of general interest. The Times does not undertake to solve conundrums.

## DROODLES



(See Title Below)

I get a lot of letters when I do a Doodle like this one. Letters congratulating me on understanding the problems of the horseshoe. Letters suggesting more Doodles. Letters asking me why I don't go away for a nice long rest. Of course I get some fresh letters too. One girl recently wrote and said she had seen me on television and was fascinated with my looks. She enclosed a snapshot and she looked just like Audrey Hepburn and she wanted to take me out in her Cadillac and take me to dinner and to an expensive night club. And she also said she would buy me a necktie. She said for me to meet her the next evening on the corner of Sixth Avenue and 53rd Street in New York. It worked out fine, except for one little thing. She didn't show up for months.

CONSIDERATION IN ADVANCE

SHOPPING GUIDE

# Children's Greeting Cards Feature Cut-Outs, Games

By PENNY SAVER

I think it's the wee tots that get most enjoyment from a greeting card, don't you? Grinning rabbits, puppies or squirrels with fuzzy tails or perhaps real whiskers seem to fascinate them no end.

The latest idea, of giving children cards with things to do or stories to read enclosed, is even more exciting to them.

The cards cost only 15 cents, a fact which amazes me. Take note of what they are and maybe you'll be as amazed . . . and as pleased . . . as I am.

Some of the cards when opened up have cut-out paper dolls with several changes of clothing printed on the inside. One card opens up four times, and each time it opens, there is a joint-the-dots game. The kiddies have but to join the dots with a pencil and they will have drawn funny animals and children.

Another card has a cardboard jig-saw puzzle slipped inside, and yet another has a circus game. There is one with a TV quiz game and one with an attached gift of chewing gum. One of the cutest, when opened up has a bug bunny rabbit face which you cut out and use for a mask.

Speaking of youngsters, that reminds me of the miniature can-can petticoats for wee little girls. Completely circular and in tiers of crisp, paper nylon, the petticoats would make a little girl's summer frock stand out to best advantage. The petticoats have under-tiers of crisp mauve net to give the can-can effect and they come in sizes two to six for \$2.75. Sizes eight to 12 are \$2.95.

For just 49 cents, you can buy the little girl a pair of rayon panties in one of many pastel shades. Some are patterned with flowers, others with animals and yet others with musical notes.

## CLUB WOMEN'S NEWS

**New Officers**—Mrs. A. E. Acres was elected secretary and Mrs. J. McLean, corresponding secretary at a meeting of Women's Association of Metropolitan United Church. Mrs. G. A. R. Stelek, vice-president, was in the chair. A date in November was decided on for the annual Christmas fair. Mrs. F. Parsons received congratulations on having been elected president of the WA for Presbytery of Victoria and Island. Dr. F. E. H. James thanked the ladies for their help during the B.C. Presbytery conference and Mrs. F. V. Shoe maker, assisted by Mrs. Donald McAle and Mrs. R. Hetherington, served tea.

**Installation**—Visiting members from Alexandria Lodge, Seattle, and Victoria Lodge No. 83, were present recently when following officers of Princess Patricia Lodge No. 238 were installed by district deputy, Mrs. Mary Raines, assisted by supreme conductors, Mrs. M. Benham and Mrs. M. Carter; Mrs. E. Duncan, supreme chaplain; Mrs. M. Rodger, WP president; Mrs. F. Osborne, W president; Mrs. E. Cowden, vice-president; Mrs. M. Wright, financial secretary; Mrs. S. Hennis, recording secretary; Mrs. D. Shaw, treasurer; Mrs. Chesworth, chaplain; Mrs. I. Bennett, first conductor; Mrs. E. Wakeford, second; Mrs. J. Miller, inner guard; Mrs. E. Burke, outer guard; Mrs. E. Buckinham, pianist. Gifts were presented to installing officers and retiring of-

## HOUSEHOLD HINTS

If you're interrupted while ironing, put unfinished damp clothes into refrigerator. That way, they won't mildew.

For the best-tasting yeast, buy day old bread. Works out better than very fresh bread. And it's just as nourishing.

When a meat thermometer indicates 185 degrees F. that is the correct temperature for doneness in veal, and it is time to take it out of the oven. Sometimes during roasting the meat thermometer is moved out of the original position. Here is a trick worth knowing. Before removing the roast, check the thermometer by pressing gently on the top of it. Note what happens to the fluid or indicator in the thermometer. If it shows a drop in the temperature, you will know that the tip of the thermometer was not in the centre of the meat. If this happens, continue roasting until the right temperature is indicated. Never take the roast out of the oven to read the temperature, because a meat thermometer is made to indicate a correct temperature reading only when the thermometer is read in the heated oven.

# WHY GROW OLD?

By JOSEPHINE LOWMAN

## Punish Backbiters By Ignoring Them

A letter before me says, "Please write an article some time about how a person can get along with people in business who are backbiters."

Backbiters are always a pain in the neck either in business or social life or life in general. The

worst thing is that you often do not know they are backbiting you until long afterwards. You may run onto this knowledge inadvertently or someone who thinks you should know may tell you.

There is one bit of advice I can give you about backbiters. Make up your mind not to waste your glands on them! There is one bit of comfort. They are always found out sooner or later and the persons they talk to about you have their number.

Forget them! Ignore them. That is the worst punishment you could give them. I do not mean to suggest that backbiters cannot damage you but this is usually temporary and the under-handed gals or men do not deserve the dignity of your self-defense.

If backbiting is done very cleverly, it can be dangerous but backbiters are not usually clever because they are ridden by emotion, usually jealousy or envy. That is why they are found out so early in the game.

Don't be suspicious! Do be friendly! If you consider it worth the effort, many backbiters can be won over. I doubt that it is ever worth the cost in time and effort because they usually return to form.

They may give you "fits" for a while but they virtually never win for keeps. So, why cloud your days and your thoughts and your sense of humor by giving them time and energy? Take them just like you would an attack of indigestion or a case of measles or a swarm of

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## Parties for Bride-Elect

Bride-elect, Miss Mary Murphy, was guest of honor when Miss Sharon Payne entertained last evening at a shower at the home of Mrs. William Haley, 1034 Richardson Street. A corsage of rosebuds was presented to the honor guest, and her mother, Mrs. Lucy Murphy, received a corsage of carnations. Guests were Mrs. J. Luchinsky, Mrs. T. Gooderham, Mrs. E. Payne, and Misses Betty Payne, Doreen Forbes, Florence McDonald and Joy Luchinsky.

Miss Murphy was also honored on Sunday when Miss Joy Luchinsky, 1275 Oscar Street, was hostess at a shower. Corsages of carnations were presented to the bride-elect and her mother. Those present were Mrs. G. Buchan and Misses Sharo, Payne, Pat Cann, Eleanor Morrison, Vivian Pederson, Pat Gallagher, Roberta White, Lorraine Lousier and Catherine Couture.

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## AS WE LIVE

# Failure Looks For Scapegoat

By ELIZABETH R. HURLOCK, PhD

A person who makes a failure of what he undertakes usually looks for some scapegoat. That is what is happening to the wife who writes:



Hurlock

(Q)—"My husband has the nerve to be super critical of me when he has one heck of a time keeping a job. In the past year, he has had five jobs and has stayed at each for about two months. He is a college graduate and in the past five years of our marriage, I just can't count how many times he was either fired or left his job. Every time he is out of work, he blames me for everything as if I were responsible for his losing his job. We have two children, and I never know whether we will have any money for the next meal. What is the matter with him that he can't keep a job?"

(A)—There may be a good many things the "matter" with your husband that make him a rolling stone. Fundamentally, it sounds as if he has some pretty serious personality problems that should be cleared up.

The fact that he puts the blame on you when things go wrong with him at work and is critical of everything you do would suggest that he might be doing the same thing at his work. People simply will not tolerate such behavior, so your husband either leaves his job or is fired.

Then, too, he may think he has more ability than other people recognize and may try to tell the people he is working with how to run the business. That is quite typical of a critical person. Naturally they resent this and refuse to let him run things.

It is serious for a man to be a rolling stone at any time, but especially so when he has a family to support. Why not urge him to go to the college where he took his degree and have some vocational aptitude tests to determine what sort of job he can do best.

In the process of testing him, they will give him a personality test which will quickly bring out the fact that part of his trouble is his critical attitude. They may be able to help him change this attitude and, as a result, to adjust himself better to any job he can get. A change here would do wonders to improve the situation in your home.

locusts. They all soon pass away. They have no permanent impact on happiness unless you take a worm's eye view.

## TODAY'S RECIPE

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Soften gelatin in cold water; add hot water and stir until gelatin is dissolved. Add lemon juice, sweetener, and salt; cool until the mixture becomes syrupy. Fold in celery, cabbage,

carrots, and pimientos. Pour into a one-quart mold and chill until firm. Unmold on crisp salad greens and serve with low calorie lemon mayonnaise. Makes 8 to 10 servings. One serving without dressing, 21 calories. One serving with low calorie cooked dressing, 34½ calories.

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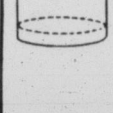
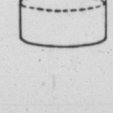
2. The dotted line shows level of the prepared fruit in Mrs. A's saucepan.

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3. Mrs. B. uses the old-fashioned long-boil recipe which calls for "one pound of sugar to every pound of fruit". So she weighs out 2 pounds of sugar and adds it to her prepared fruit.

4. Mrs. B. boils the mixture about 30 minutes before the jam thickens to the desired consistency. This evaporates about ½ the weight of the fruit, darkens the color and carries off much of the natural fresh-fruit flavor in steam.

5. Mrs. B. pours and paraffins about 3 pounds (6 glasses) of jam from the same amount of fruit. Until it is finished she cannot tell for sure how well her jam will turn out.

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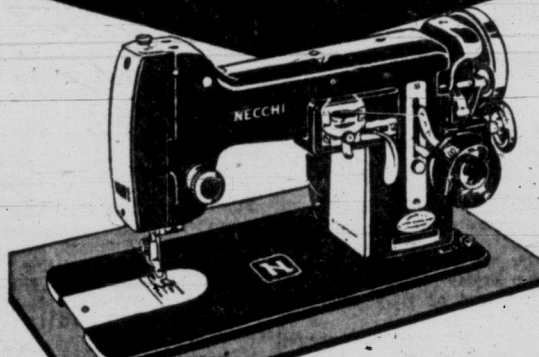
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## Between Ourselves

By ELIZABETH FORBES

What does a private secretary to a minister of the provincial government do when she retires?

It's a question that has been answered in many ways... from travel to learning to cook. But Miss Amy Wills, only a week away from retirement as private secretary to a succession of ministers of public works in this province and with an enviable record of public service already chalked up... has taken a long step into another branch of public service.



Bessie

She is now Girl Friday in a drug store. "It's not a new idea," she is quick to tell you, "I knew I was going to do it months ago. I told people so... but they didn't believe me."

The drugstore is not just an ordinary drug store in Miss Wills' eyes. It was taken over a short time ago by her nephew, Frank Wills, a brilliant young University of British Columbia graduate.

"I helped a bit at first for the fun of it," Amy Wills says. "That was months before I retired from the government. I came down at nights and weekends and as I got to know stock I became more and more interested."

"My nephew needed someone out front to meet the customers and to run errands so I decided that perhaps I didn't want to retire after all. And here I am!"

Then she added, "I'm having a terrible time with prices and making change. That's one thing they didn't let me do in the Department of Public Works... handle the money."

Perhaps she didn't handle money in the big building where the affairs of the province are conducted but Amy Wills did nearly everything else. She served seven ministers of public works in the years she was with the government—C. S. Leary, Thomas King, R. W. Bruhn, Herbert Anscomb, E. C. Carson, E. T. Kenney and latterly Hon. P. A. Gagliardi.

In those years there were times when she never knew who her boss would be next morning for she went through many changes of government... from Liberal to Coalition and back to Liberal and then to Social Credit.

### Experiences Many and Varied

She did much of the paper work for history-making events. She knew the hush-hush work of government. She saw her bosses when they were riding the crest of excitement in work well done and when they were irritable, temperamental and worried and tired.

She learned early in the game to keep her own counsel and to remain aloof from politics, even though she knew her ministers were often deep in politics. She never talked even if she did know many secrets.

When she was working in her office next to that of the Minister of Public Works, it was the most important job in the world to her... That's why she did the work so well.

Now she is bringing to her new work the same enthusiasm and attention to detail.

"As soon as I know all the stock, I'm going to re-arrange the shelves," she said, "and being a woman, I'm planning to do big things with the cosmetic and perfume bar. It's all such fun!"

Then this small, bright-eyed, warm-hearted woman laughed happily as she concluded, "You know I've even coined a slogan... If you need pills for your ills come to Wills! What do you think of it?"

What do I think?... Here's one woman who isn't going to let retirement throw her. She's going to make it work for her... and pay in happiness and contentment.

Good luck, Amy!

### OF PERSONAL INTEREST

#### Returning to New Zealand

Miss Heather McPherson and Miss Elizabeth McPherson, who have been visiting their aunt and their cousin, Mrs. K. McPherson and Miss Norma McPherson, Oak Bay Avenue, left on Monday for Vancouver, from where they sailed today aboard the Ss. Oransay for their home in New Zealand. The sisters have been travelling for the past year, first in Scotland and the British Isles and then in eastern Canada, before coming to Victoria, where they spent the past two weeks.

#### Home From Visit to Japan

Mr. and Mrs. Logan Mayhew and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Denny returned to their homes in the Uplands on Monday after a three-week visit to Japan. They traveled both ways by CPA, and while in Tokyo visited Mr. Mayhew's parents, His Excellency Robert W. Mayhew, Canadian Ambassador to Japan and Mrs. Mayhew, at the Canadian Embassy.

#### Dinner for Seattle Visitors

Mr. and Mrs. Williams entertained Saturday with a dinner party at their home on John Street to honor members of the Seattle Lodge, No. 172, Daughters of St. George, who were visitors in Victoria. Their guests were Mrs. May Zoffel, Mrs. Sarah Stewart, Mrs. Frances Barr, Mrs. Susan Healey, Mrs. Emily Davies, Mrs. Rose Dale, Mrs. Sarah Sheffield, all of Seattle, and Mr. and Mrs. C. Graham of Victoria.

#### Wednesday Coffee Party

Mrs. F. B. McLeod will be hostess Wednesday morning at a coffee party at her home on Surrey Drive. Presiding at the refreshment table will be Mrs. Thomas Lumsden and Mrs. R. S. Olson.

#### A Month in Vancouver

Mrs. J. Martin, 920 Island Highway, Langford Lake, left Tuesday for Vancouver, where she will spend a month visiting her niece, Mrs. R. Bowden, 6782 Ross Street.

#### Shower for Miss Eaton

Miss Doreen Eaton, whose marriage to Mr. David MacDonald will take place June 18, was honored at a china shower recently, when hostesses were Mrs. Shirley Powell, 607 Raynor Avenue, and her mother, Mrs. Florence Cameron. Gifts were arranged in a decorated umbrella and were accompanied by a corsage of red rosebuds and white feathered carnations. Mother of the bride-elect, Mrs. F. G. Eaton, received pink rosebuds and carnations. A shower cake, inscribed "Best Wishes Doreen and Dave," was cut by Miss Eaton and refreshments were served from a table at which Mrs. Eaton presided. Invited guests were Mrs. Nan Wright, Mrs. V. Wright, Mrs. Wilson, Mrs. Carmen Wright, Mrs. Scotty Eaton, Mrs. Mary Cracknell, Mrs. Pearl Carr, Mrs. Joyce Brookbank, Mrs. Richards, Mrs. Mona Huntley, Mrs. Caley, Mrs. Rowell, Mrs. Laidler, and the Misses Nadine Wright, Gwen Caley, Peggy Cordingley, Claire LaVoie, Margaret Stephenson and Shirley Anderson.

Mr. and Mrs. Forrest L. Shaw, 1204 Dallas Road, have as their guests for the next two weeks their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. D. Milton, of Deep River, Ont.

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## Women of interest to

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### Garden Tea at Home for Aged

Miss Maureen Johnson, convener, left, and Miss Hilda Thomson are members of a committee from chapters of Beta Sigma Phi Sorority, in charge of arrangements for the annual garden tea to be held next Saturday from 2:30 to 4:30 in the garden at the Aged Ladies' Home, McClure Street. There will be home cooking and articles made by residents of the home for sale, also a white elephant stall, raffles and door prizes. Co-convener is Miss Betty Prangnell.

### FIRST WOMAN PROBATION OFFICER

VANCOUVER (CP)—British Columbia's first woman probation officer, whose appointment was announced Monday, has a background of 15 years of social work. Miss Mildred M. Wright will work with women in the greater Vancouver area and with delinquent girls from outlying areas.

### CAC Meeting

Victoria branch of the Canadian Association of Consumers will meet next Monday at 2 p.m. in the YWCA. Guest speaker will be Mrs. L. V. Lillo, past provincial president of CAC. The meeting is for members and friends.

Daughters of St. George, Victoria Lodge No. 83, business meeting followed by installation of officers, Wednesday at 8 p.m., K of P Hall. Sisters of Princess Patricia Lodge 238 and visiting sisters from Seattle may attend.



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## McLean-Bell Wedding Solemnized

Arrangements of red peonies and white roses, and clusters of white rosebuds and heather on guests' pews in St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, Saturday evening, created a setting for the wedding of Lydia Miller Bell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Bell, Dalkeith, Scotland, to Robert Arthur McLean, son of Mrs. J. L. McLean, 632 Moss Street, and the late Mr. C. A. McLean. Rev. E. G. Thompson officiated and organist was C. C. Warren.

"Because" was sung during the signing of the register by John W. Bell. The bride's uncle, J. W. Bell, gave her in marriage. A necklace of diamonds and pearls, worn by the mother of the groom on her wedding day, was "something old" for the lovely bride. Her gown of embroidered nylon over taffeta and net was traditional white and swirled to ballerina-length. Red roses and lily of the valley formed her bouquet. Her attendants, Miss Cathie Brown and Miss Marion McLean, wore gown of aqua shantung and carried nosegays of yellow and mauve gladioli. They wore bandeaux of white carnations in their hair.

John McLean, brother of the groom, was best man. Ushers were Jack Crowther and Bruce Woodward. At the reception, held at 145 Government Street, the groom's mother and the bride's aunt, assisted in receiving guests. Mrs. McLean wearing a dress of royal blue with white accents.

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### Student Recital Named at Meeting

Piano pupils of Mrs. Allen Sangster, LRSM, gave their annual recital in Newstead Hall. Taking part were John Logan, Billy Brooks, Donald Monrow, Barbara Monrow, Marilyn Conway, Carmen Logan, Wayne Roberts, Brian Roberts, Heather Lawson, Lynne Simpson, Linda Stancil, Linda Caddell. Lynne Hilton, Marilyn Ball, Jackie Murray, Pamela Lane, Donna Rogers, Denise Hickling, Kathryn Fevang, Beryl Campbell, Virginia Lane, Bobbie Campbell, Maxine Grohn, Caroline Florence, May Pittendrigh, Margaret Greig, Allen Goyette. Four duets were played by Virginia Lane, Pamela Lane, Margaret Greig and Allen Goyette, each with Mrs. Sangster.

cories. Both had corsages of pink carnations.

The newly-weds cut the three-tier wedding cake which centred the bride's table. The cake was flanked by silver candelabra and vases of pink carnations.

James Hall proposed the toast to the bride and read telegrams. Mr. and Mrs. Jack Davidson and Mr. Doug Cullen of Seattle and Mr. and Mrs. P. Williams of Duncan were out-of-town guests.

Mr. and Mrs. McLean left on a honeymoon trip to Washington and Oregon. Mrs. McLean traveling in an off-white linen suit with tan accessories and corsage of pink sweetheart roses.

Mr. and Mrs. McLean will live in Victoria.

### CLUB CALENDAR

Pro Patria Branch, Canadian Legion, BESL, Ladies' Auxiliary, tonight, 8 p.m., clubroom.

Woman's Auxiliary No. 65, Victoria Typographical Union No. 201, YWCA club room, Thursday, 2:15 p.m.

Craigflower Women's Institute, Community Hall, Thursday, 1:30 p.m. Donations for grocery raffle will be accepted.

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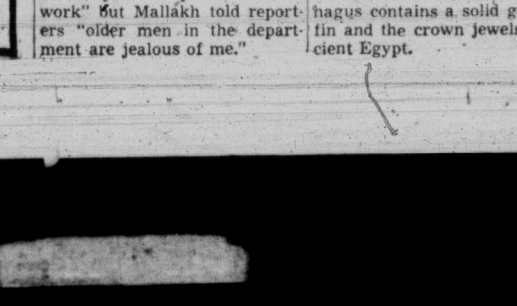
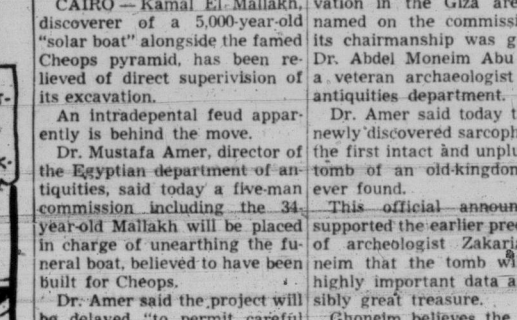
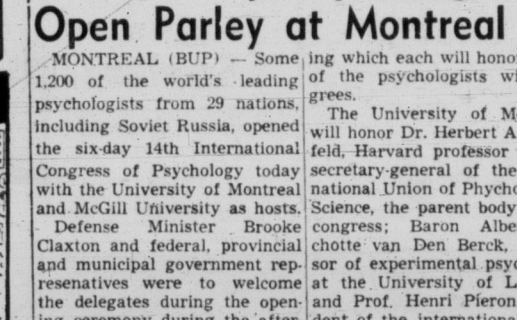
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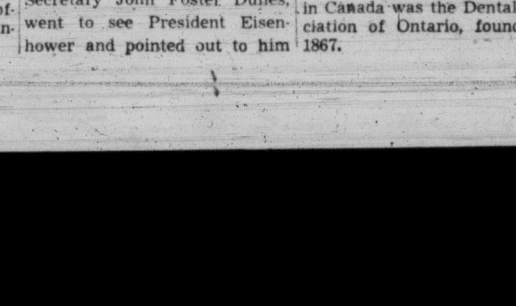
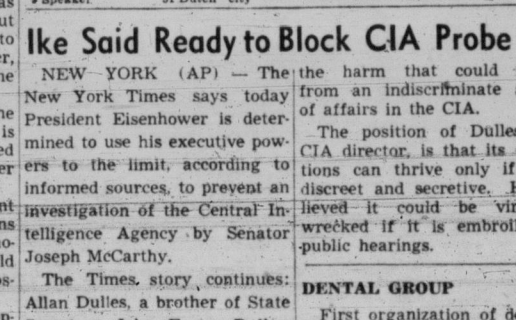
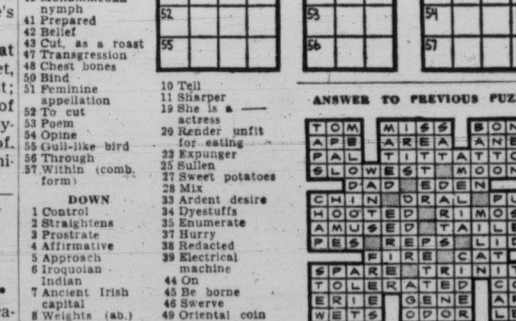
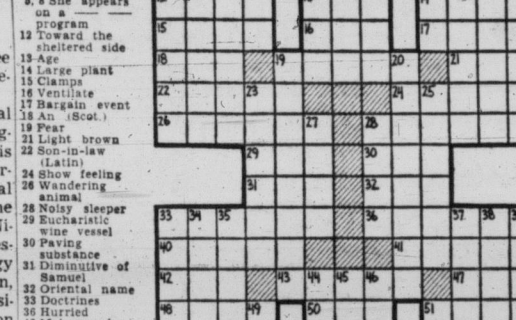
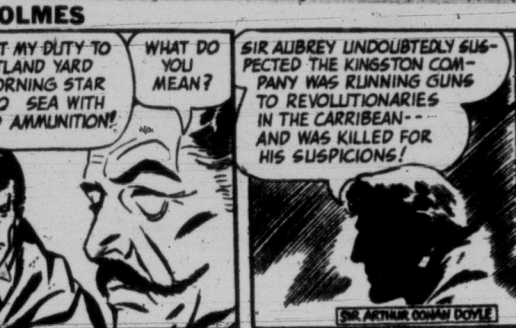
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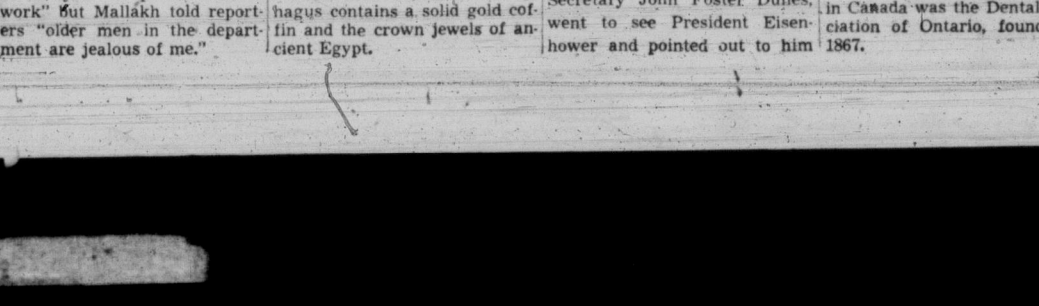
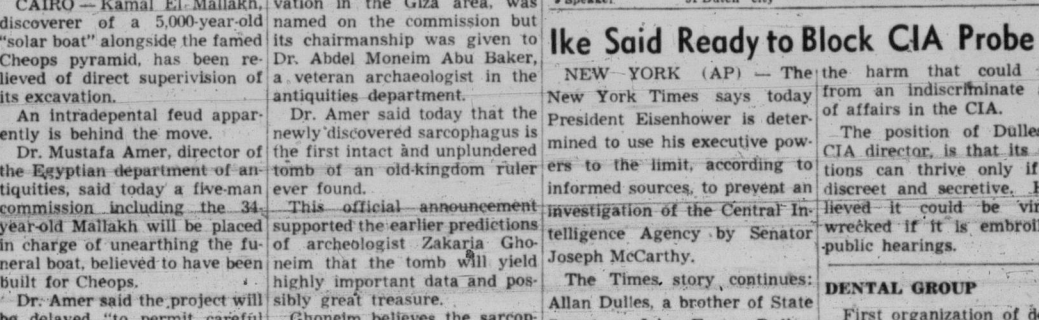
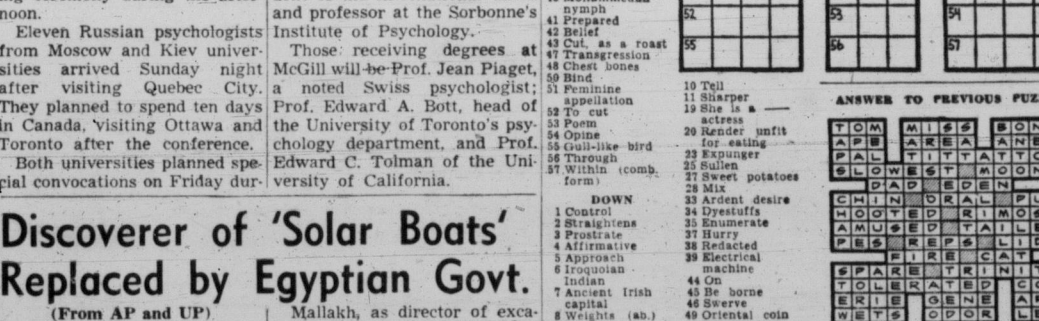
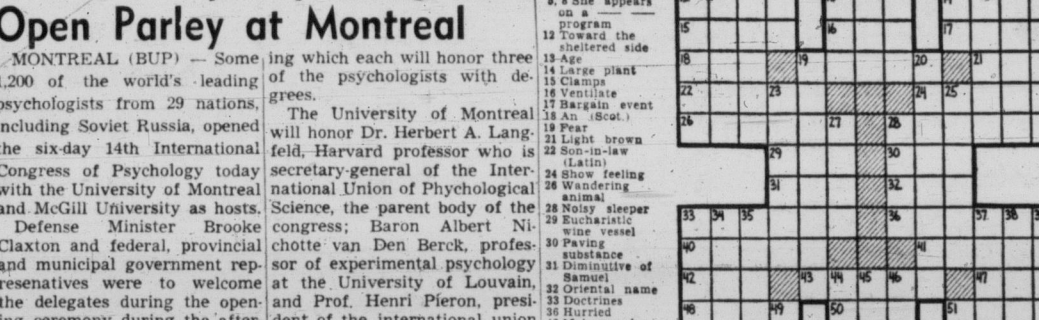
OUT OUR WAY



BOARDING HOUSE



SHERLOCK HOLMES



World's Top Psychologists Open Parley at Montreal

MONTREAL (BUP) — Some 1,200 of the world's leading psychologists from 29 nations, including Soviet Russia, opened the six-day 14th International Congress of Psychology today with the University of Montreal and McGill University as hosts. Defense Minister Brooke Claxton and federal, provincial and municipal government representatives were to welcome the delegates during the opening ceremony during the afternoon. Eleven Russian psychologists from Moscow and Kiev universities arrived Sunday night after visiting Quebec City. They planned to spend ten days in Canada, visiting Ottawa and Toronto after the conference. Both universities planned special convocations on Friday during which each will honor three of the psychologists with degrees. The University of Montreal will honor Dr. Herbert A. Langfeld, Harvard professor who is secretary-general of the International Union of Psychological Science, the parent body of the congress; Baron Albert N. Claxton, professor of experimental psychology at the University of Louvain, and Prof. Henri Pierson, president of the international union and professor at the Sorbonne Institute of Psychology. Those receiving degrees at McGill will be Prof. Jean Piaget, a noted Swiss psychologist; Prof. Edward A. Bitt, head of the University of Toronto's psychology department, and Prof. Edward C. Tolman of the University of California.

Discoverer of 'Solar Boats' Replaced by Egyptian Govt.

(From AP and UP) CAIRO — Kamal El-Mallakh, discoverer of a 5,000-year-old "solar boat" alongside the famed Cheops pyramid, has been relieved of direct supervision of its excavation. An intradepartmental feud apparently is behind the move. Dr. Mustafa Amer, director of the Egyptian department of antiquities, said today a five-man commission including the 34-year-old Mallakh will be placed in charge of unearthing the funeral boat, believed to have been built for Cheops. Dr. Amer said the project will be delayed "to permit careful work" but Mallakh told reporters "older men in the department are jealous of me."

ACROSS

1	TV actress, singular
2	She appears in a program
3	Toward the sheltered side
4	Large plant
5	Clamps
6	Venue
7	Bargain event
8	Light brown
9	Peat
10	Latin
11	Show feeling
12	Wandering animal
13	Sleeping animal
14	Substance
15	Diminutive of Samuel
16	Ornamental name
17	Doctrines
18	Hurried
19	Mohammedan nymph
20	Prepared
21	Belief
22	Out, as a roast
23	Transgression
24	Chest bones
25	Bliss
26	Feminine appellation
27	To cut
28	Porn
29	Opine
30	Crow-like bird
31	Through
32	Within (comb. form)

DOWN

1	Control
2	Straightness
3	Prostate
4	Affirmative
5	Approach
6	Irresistible
7	Indian
8	Capital
9	Wrights (ab.)
10	Speaker
11	Slender
12	She is a
13	Hander unit for sailing
14	Exquisite
15	Sullen
16	Sweet potatoes
17	Mix
18	Ardent desire
19	Dreadful
20	Enumerate
21	Hurry
22	Redacted
23	Electric machine
24	On
25	Be borne
26	Severe
27	Severe
28	Oriental coin
29	Dutch city

ANSWER TO PREVIOUS PUZZLE

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Ike Said Ready to Block CIA Probe

NEW YORK (AP) — The harm that could result from an indiscriminate airing of affairs in the CIA. The position of Dulles, the CIA director, is that its operations can thrive only if it is discreet and secretive. He believed it could be virtually wrecked if it is embroiled in public hearings. DENTAL GROUP First organization of dentists in Canada was the Dental Association of Ontario, founded in 1867.

## 4 Ont. Workers Hear Sentences Today

Former Highways Department Employees Plead Guilty to Defrauding Govt. of \$15,542

PORT ARTHUR, Ont. (BUP)—District Judge A. H. Dowler was scheduled to sentence four former Highways Department employees today on eight charges of defrauding the Ontario government of \$15,542.

### Suit Charges Fags Developed Cancer

SAN FRANCISCO (UP)—James G. French, 43, Fresno, Monday filed a \$1,300,000 suit in federal court against the Reynolds Tobacco Co. charging that he developed lung cancer as a result of smoking the firm's cigarettes.

French, a railroad employee, asserted that it was necessary to remove his right lung because of cancer as a result of smoking Camels from 1924 to 1953.

The name volcano is derived from the Latin Vulcan, meaning "god of fire."

Two First Run Hits!  
"Always a Bride"  
Featuring  
PEGGY CUMMINS  
TERENCE MORGAN  
Added Suspense  
"Donovan's Brain"  
Starring  
LEW AYRES  
**PLAZA**

STARTS WEDNESDAY!  
MONSTER...BORN BEFORE TIME BEGAN!

## CREATURE FROM THE BLACK LAGOON

...every man his mortal enemy and woman's beauty his prey!



Starring  
**RICHARD CARLSON · ADAMS**  
RICHARD DENNING · ANTONIO MORENO

2nd Hit  
RICHARD CONTE  
JOAN BENNETT  
IN  
"HIGHWAY DRAGNET"

**ODEON**  
ENDS TODAY  
"It Should Happen To You"  
"Stratford Adventure"

**Tillicum OUTDOOR**  
2-7531 Corner BUNSIDE and TILlicum ROADS  
Millard Mitchell - Gilbert Roland - John Beal - Henry Morgan

"MY SIX CONVICTS"

—Featurette—  
"Winter Wonders"

SHOW STARTS 8:35 FINISHES 11:35  
All Children Under 12 Accompanied by Adults. Admitted FREE  
TWO PASSES TONIGHT IF YOUR LICENSE ENDS IN 79

## Two FOR THE Show

By PHIL LEE

(A) "IT SHOULD HAPPEN TO YOU" (Odeon)—You'll have to scurry to catch this one, as it leaves the Odeon Theatre after tonight. But if you're interested in seeing an actress who has mastered the role of a big dumb blonde, then it's well worth the scurriest scurry.

Academy Award winning Judy ("Born Yesterday") Holliday breathes a delightful zest into this quite ordinary film as the girl in search of being "somebody." Just fired from a model agency because she's outgrown her girly role with the width of a wheatie, she is wandering around Central Park dismally resigned to leaving the big city and becoming a married "nobody" when she bumps into young documentary cameraman Jack Lemmon.

They were not charged in connection with highway contracts irregularities. Division engineer Arthur M. Mills and officials of several large contracting companies will be tried soon on those counts.

Defense counsel A. W. Maloney stressed that all four had paid the money back before going on trial, and their present employers told the court they would keep them at work if they could.

From this moment on, Judy, or Gladys Glover, becomes a "somebody." The space she has rented is wanted by gay man-about-town Peter Lawford, who needs it for his soap. Gladys is relentless, however, and keeps her space. In the end the soapsters, led by Lawford, have to trade her six boards for her one. Through these "Gladys Glovers" about town she gets TV contracts, is hounded for autographs and named "The Average American Girl."

The story moves cleverly towards its climax with Judy being urged to marriage by Lemmon and towards other things by Lawford. Meanwhile, the lines are funny and the comedy plot well scripted by the expert hand of Garson Kanin.

The play, however, is Miss Holliday's first, last and foremost. May she be in many more.

NOW SHOWING  
J. ARTHUR RANK Presents  
That Delightful Comedy  
"GENEVIEVE"  
In TECHNICOLOR  
Featuring  
DINAH SHERIDAN  
JOHN GREGSON  
KAY KENDALL  
Selected Short Subjects

Complete Program: 6.45 - 8.18  
Feature Starts: 7.19 - 9.22

**OAK BAY**

Temple of Refined Entertainment and Education

TONIGHT and WED.  
"FAMILY HONEYMOON"

A Rib-Tickling Comedy

Starring

CLAUDETTE COLBERT and FRED McMURRAY

At 7.00 and 9.35 P.M.

Plus

Robert Louis Stevenson's Great Novel

"STRANGE DOOR"

Starring

CHARLES LAUGHTON

BORIS KARLOFF

SALLY FOREST

At 8.30 P.M.

Doors Open at 6.30

A Picture That Pleases

**FOX**

Where Sound Matters!

## SEND 'EM BACK

### City Library Not Fooling On Overdue

People who persist in keeping long-overdue library books will soon have a Credit Bureau of Victoria representative at their door.

The Victoria Public Library Board decided Monday to join the bureau for one year, on a trial basis, to see if it can get some books back that are owing and also some uncollected fines.

Membership will cost \$30 a year.

Cases will only be put into the hands of the credit bureau if the offending borrower doesn't heed any of the three warnings which the library will continue to issue on overdue loans. Once the case is referred to the credit bureau, the borrower will have to settle pronto or his credit rating will suffer in business firms that are members of the bureau.

Vancouver Public Library has had a credit bureau membership for some time.

### Winnipeg Ballet Forced to Reduce Size of Company

WINNIPEG (CP)—Directors of the Royal Winnipeg Ballet announced Monday that financial difficulties are forcing the company to begin its 1954-55 season with a smaller company.

They said in a statement that last year's operations resulted in a considerable financial loss, caused mostly by unforeseeable expenses on a tour of Canada and the United States. However, the company would resume in the fall with a smaller company.

Meanwhile, a vigorous fundraising campaign would be launched.

## IN TOWN TONIGHT

ATLAS — "Blueprint For Murder" at 1.00, 3.50, 6.35, 9.41, plus "Silver Whip" at 2.22, 5.08, 7.54.

CAPITOL — "Rob Roy" at 1.39, 3.40, 5.41, 7.42, 9.43.

DOMINION — "Hobson's Choice" at 1.05, 3.08, 5.11, 7.14, 9.22.

FOX — "Family Honeymoon" at 7.00, 9.35, plus "Strange Door" at 8.20.

GEM — "I Confess" at 7.45.

OAK BAY — "Genevieve" at 7.19, 9.22.

ODEON — "It Should Happen To You" at 1.00, 3.12, 5.24, 7.36, plus "Stratford Adventure" at 2.26, 4.38, 6.50, 9.05.

PLAZA — "Always a Bride" at 1.04, 3.55, 6.46, 9.37, plus "Donovan's Brain" at 2.30, 5.21, 8.12.

ROYAL — "Executive Suite" at 1.08, 3.10, 5.12, 7.14, 9.21.

TILlicum — "My Six Convicts" plus "Winter Wonders."

## USED CAR?

WILSON MOTORS!

GEM THEATRE  
TONIGHT at 7.45

WALTER BRON

"I Confess"

MONTGOMERY CLIFT · ANNE BAXTER

EXCITING MYSTERY

DRAMA FILMED IN QUEBEC

POTO NITE WEDNESDAY, 8.10

## MOVIES CONTINUE POPULARITY GAIN

Attendance 5 Million a Week Above 1952; Production Hits High for Last Two Years

By WAYNE OLIVER  
NEW YORK (AP)—The movie industry, attempting a comeback after a body blow by television, is maintaining its hard-won gains of recent months.

Fighting back with new processes, better quality in story and technique, and more films in color, movies now are estimated to be attracting 5,000,000 more fans a week than in 1952.

And reports from headquarters of the film companies here reflect humming activities in Hollywood studios, with production at probably the highest level in two or more years.

Technical advances in the theatre owners in some sections, particularly where TV is newly arrived, still are having rough going but over-all attendance is well above the postwar low. Noticeable pickups are being reported from areas that have had TV a long time.

Eric Johnston, president of the Motion Picture Association of America, says a number of factors combine "to indicate a somewhat brighter economic picture for the industry during the coming year."

These include, he says, the new technical advances, an accent on higher quality pictures, economies all along the line, and record-foreign revenue from American movies shown in other parts of the world.

Seven out of 10 movie companies making financial reports on the first quarter of this year show better profits than for the corresponding three months last year.

Lord Lister, the British surgeon who died in 1912, is famous for developing the antiseptic system of treatment.

NOW SHOWING!

FILMED IN SCOTLAND'S AUTHENTIC ROB ROY COUNTRY!

RICHARD TODD GYNS JOHNS

Walt Disney's

ALL LIVE ACTION HIT

**Rob Roy**

TECHNICOLOR

At 1.39, 3.40, 5.41, 7.45, 9.43

And Carolee PLUS "ROYAL SCOTLAND"

In Color

**CAPITOL**

TONIGHT at 1.15, 4.00, 6.41, 9.38

JOSEPH COTTEN

JEAN PETERS

GARY MERRILL

A BLUEPRINT FOR MURDER

2nd Feature at 2.31, 5.20, 8.06

DALE ROBERTSON

ROBERT WAGNER

THE SILVER WHIP

2nd Feature at 2.31, 5.20, 8.06

**ATLAS**

A HANNUY PLAYERS' TRIO

M-G-M's TREMENDOUS TEN-STAR DRAMA!

Doors 1 p.m.—Feature 1.08, 3.10, 5.12, 7.14, 9.21

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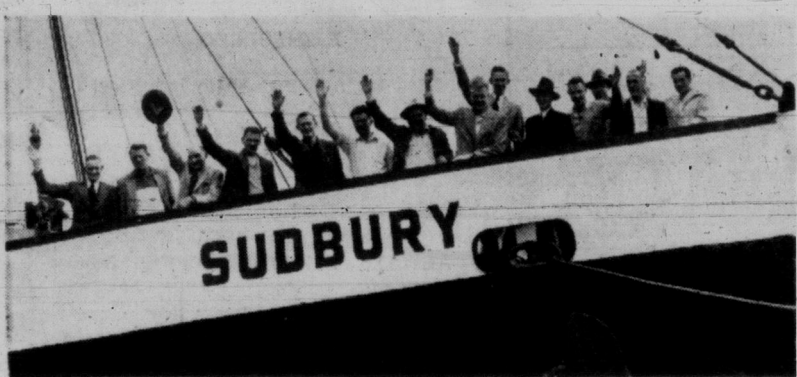
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## \$4 Million Fire in Winnipeg



### Victoria Towboat on Long Voyage

Ready to leave this evening on a two-month voyage down the North American coast is the crew of the Island Tug & Barge deepsea towboat Sudbury. The 205-foot former corvette will tow back a British-registered ship for repairs here. (See story, Page 13).

Shown are 14 of the 19-man crew, left to right, W. Hicken-Smith, Jack Daley, J. Shields, Jack Rusterholz, R. Van De Putte, J. Dirksen, W. Lucas, Ray Sunoby, Herb Marriion, K. Sanberg, A. Armitage, A. Fisher, Albert Miller and R. D. MacDonald. (Times Photo.)

### 72-Mile-Hour Winds Wreak Manitoba Havoc

Power Lines, Trees Uprooted by Gales

WINNIPEG (CP)—Winds which came close to hurricane force snatched power and communications facilities away from southern Manitoba Monday and early today and then lifted roofs and uprooted trees as it lay in the dark.

Driving rains accompanied the winds, which fired gusts of 72 miles an hour. Hundreds of Winnipeg homes were left without electricity and telephone and telegraph lines were put out of commission.

Police cars answered calls to all parts of the city to stand guard over fallen wires. Agricultural officials said some of the dry areas to the west of Winnipeg would have been burned into a giant dust-bowl except for the accompanying rain.

The winds, which switched from south to southwest during the night, also struck Ontario and the Kenora highway was littered today with broken poles, trees and wires.

#### MUDDY ROADS

Aircraft at the RCAF station at Portage La Prairie, 56 miles west of Winnipeg, were called in as the wind became violent. On the ground, bus travel suffered as the rain turned rural roads into mire.

Damage estimated at several thousand dollars was caused at Winnipeg children's hospital when the winds tore metal sheathing from one section.

The children's hospital was without power for nine hours. It has no auxiliary plant. "Fortunately there were no children in the iron lungs during the power cut-off," said J. E. Robinson, hospital superintendent.

To Winnipeggers, the storm brought household chaos. With no power, people with electric stoves had no way of cooking breakfast, although one couple reported they managed to brew tea over candles.

One man was unable to drive to work because his garage door is operated by an electric control and he couldn't get it open.

The gales appeared to come in three peaks. The first was between 5 p.m. and 7 p.m., when gusts ranged up to 72 miles an hour. The second came around 12:30 a.m., the third about one hour later.

All night, police and fire departments were kept busy with telephone calls reporting fallen wires. Trolley bus service in several parts of Winnipeg was discontinued when power wires were driven from their moorings. Railway and TCA officials reported most trains on schedule but bus service in Manitoba was severely hampered by the rain-swept roads.

No injuries have been reported yet, and damage was generally local. Several plate glass windows on Portage Avenue—one of Winnipeg's main streets—were knocked out by the winds. Several signs were torn from buildings and posts.

Heavy winds at Stony Mountain Man, about 12 miles north of Winnipeg, blew down about half of a closed-in skating rink, causing damage estimated at \$12,000. Debris from the collapsing building landed on the roof of a nearby grocery store.



SIR EDMUND HILLARY

### In Excellent Health Sir Edmund Reports

NEW DELHI (Reuters)—A telegram signed by Sir Edmund Hillary, reporting himself "in excellent condition," reached the Indian capital today.

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### Bonner Orders Probe Into TV Company

VANCOUVER (CP)—Attorney-General Robert Bonner has ordered an investigation into the affairs of Industrial Radio-electric Enterprises Ltd. and 13 related companies.

The inquiry was ordered under the British Columbia Securities Act following complaints received by the B.C. Securities Department.

The investigation will be conducted by Robert F. Gardiner, a chartered accountant.

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### 3 Buildings On Portage Destroyed

T. Eaton Building Threatened; Firemen Control Blaze After Seven-Hour Battle

(From CP and UP Dispatches)

WINNIPEG—Three large office buildings and a dozen business establishments today were destroyed in a fire which engulfed part of downtown Portage Avenue in a liquid pattern of flames.

Damage was estimated at between \$2 and \$4 million.

Not until seven hours after the fire broke out in the seven-story Time building could firemen class it as under control.

From the Time building—nothing but a shell and a pile of rubble—the flames boiled in three directions under a gale which hit Winnipeg with gusts of 70 miles an hour.

Westward it spread to two ladies' wear shops, a cafe and a billiard and bowling centre. Eastward it jumped Hargrave Street to sweep through Dayton's department store, another cafe and a finance company office. Northward it spread to the four-story Henry's building,

which houses a cleaning establishment, the office of the Royal Winnipeg Ballet, a furriers and a cafe.

Both Canadian Press and British United Press lost their national wires for several hours Monday night and again this morning.

CBC also lost its service to eastern Canada. Service was normal by noon today.

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#### Intense Heat Cracks Windows

Destroyed in the main floor of the Time building were a musical supplies store, a men's clothing shop and a shoe store.

The flames jumped Portage Avenue briefly to start a fire in an upper-floor window of the eight-story T. Eaton department store but firemen were able to check the flames there.

Windows on that side of Portage—and it is probably Canada's widest main street—were cracked by the intense heat. The wind helped start the fire and then fed it. The gale's force is believed to have caused a short circuit in an electric

sign at the front of the Time Building.

The first alarm was turned in at approximately 1 a.m., CDT. Two others followed but for hours there was more fire than firemen and they looked small against the fury of the flames.

The miracle in the tumbling of walls, the smoke and the searing heat was the lack of any serious injuries. The only reported hospital casualty was fireman Nick Sullavella, who suffered glass cuts.

All three major buildings—the three-story Dinsmore block was the other one which fell victim to the flames—house an undetermined number of offices.

#### Sprinkler System Gave Warning

A worker in the Time Building, Henry Molko, said the building's sprinkler system gave the first alarm.

"The sprinkler system set the alarm off because nobody in the building turned in an alarm," he said. "We couldn't locate any fire, so we went outside and saw firemen tearing off the metal sign. Then we saw the flames."

By 7:30 a.m. the fire was burning with comparative calm—there was little left for the fire

to attack. But the roof of the Henry's Building which a few minutes before had looked as though it would escape serious damage, was capped with flames. Soon tongues of fire began darting from the windows in the lower stories.

At mid-morning, Eaton's workmen began smashing windows facing the fire scene in search of possible signs of fire. In another building a block north, firemen were reported hacking through the roof

## No Cut Rate Wheat Price War Desired by U.S. or Canada-PM

OTTAWA (CP)—Prime Minister St. Laurent said today there is no desire by Canada or the United States to get into a cut-rate price war on sales of wheat abroad.

He made the statement in the Commons as Progressive Conservative and CCF members posed question after question concerning the decision of Canada and the U.S. to cut the price of wheat.

The U.S. cut export wheat prices 10 cents a bushel last Friday, and Canada reduced her price by 10 1/2 cents Monday.

Trade Minister Howe also told the House that he expects exports of grain this year will be the third or fourth highest on record.

Opposition Leader Drew asked Mr. St. Laurent to make a statement of government policy on the market of Canada's surplus wheat.

Mr. St. Laurent said he is not in a position to announce any policy different from that followed by the government to the present.

SUGGESTS CO-OPERATE  
Hazen Argue (CCF-Assiniboia) suggested Canada and the United States co-operate on wheat sales abroad to prevent the present situation deteriorating into a price war.

Mr. St. Laurent said he could assure Mr. Argue that discussions between responsible representatives of the U.S. government and Canadian officials showed there is no desire on the part of Canada or the U.S. "to get into a cut-rate war."

Mr. Argue also noted what he described as an 83 per cent drop in barley exports during the four weeks ended May 26. He asked how Mr. Howe accounted for it.

Mr. Howe replied that he cannot say why buyers purchase in one month in preference to another but Mr. Argue should

recall that May last year was an exceptional month for shipments because Vancouver had been closed for 14 weeks previous due to a dock strike.

Mr. Howe also said figures given by Mr. Argue indicating wheat exports in the period

dropped to 14,600,000 bushels from 35,400,000 last year are correct. However, exports during the last few weeks were not typical and were not discouraging.

Exports were exceptionally large in May last year.

## ALBERTA FARMERS STAND TO LOOSE \$50 MILLION

EDMONTON (BUP)—A prominent wheat official says the price of export and domestic wheat which has been cut by 10-and-one-eighths cents a bushel, will mean the loss of \$50 million to Alberta farmers.

Ben S. Plummer—chairman of the Alberta Board Wheat Pool—was commenting on the action taken Monday by the Canadian Wheat Board. He said, "This move will have far reaching effect in the province for it means the loss of purchasing power on the part of farmers."

Plummer said if costs go up now, it could be disastrous.

#### BORN ON BLUSTERY DAY

## 70th Anniversary Of Times Tomorrow

Tomorrow, June 9, The Victoria Daily Times is 70 years old. Today it discovered that history has a strange way of repeating itself.

On the first publication day, June 9, 1884, elaborate arrangements had been made to bring world news into Victoria by telegraph service. But a violent storm in the northwest broke down communications and the first issue was almost entirely devoted to news of local events.

Today the hurricane-like winds sweeping the prairies put the national wire service of both Canadian Press and British United Press out of

service for several hours. Modern communication methods made it possible to rush the bulk of the daily news report into The Times by re-rout, ing messages and quick repairs, and provided a sharp illustration of the huge strides that have been made in the intervening 70 years.

To mark its anniversary tomorrow The Times will publish a special page relating its own history in brief, and telling the story of the growth of southern Vancouver Island through the eyes of the only three people in this area who were born here in June, 1884, and are still living here.

## Eisenhower Won't Ask Congress For Intervention in Indo-China

(From UP and AP Dispatches)

WASHINGTON—The United States does not plan to ask Congress for authority to intervene in Indo-China, Secretary of State John Foster Dulles said today.

Dulles told a news conference that the United States still has no intention of dealing with the Indo-Chinese situation alone unless the whole nature of aggression there should change. Open armed aggression by Communist China would be necessary to change the whole situation, Dulles added.

Dulles' statement came after key congressional sources had said earlier that President Eisenhower might decide in a matter of days whether to ask Congress for authority to intervene, with or without America's allies.

He said the reaction to the Eisenhower administration's call for a united front of Allied Nations has not reached the point of general acceptance that would make an appeal to Congress a matter of practical politics.

The United States, he said emphatically, has no intention of dealing with this problem single-handedly—unless the Chinese Communists launch a new military aggression.

### B.C. RATEPAYERS' GROUP GROWING

NEW WESTMINSTER (CP)—Surrey municipality Monday became the first mainland group to join the Federation of B.C. Ratepayers' Association, formed last month at Nanaimo. The action was taken at an organizational meeting of Surrey Ratepayers' Council.

## French Planes Blast Red Base 7 Miles From Hanoi

HANOI, Indo-China (UP)—French warplanes today destroyed a large Communist rebel troop and supply base only seven miles from Hanoi, blasting it with 50 tons of bombs.

American-made B-26 bombers dumped 1,000-pound bombs on the heavily protected base while fighter planes dropped smaller explosives with delayed action fuses.

The French high command said aerial photographs showed the base was "100 per cent destroyed."

The announcement was considered doubly significant because the French command disclosed for the first time how near Hanoi Communist supplies and manpower had been advanced.

Black and yellow smoke from exploding ammunition stocks

## ELY REPORTED ORDERED TO CONTACT VIET MINH

GENEVA (Reuters)—A French spokesman announced today that Gen. Paul Ely, newly appointed French commander-in-chief in Indo-China, had been instructed to make contact with the Communist Viet Minh high command to discuss regrouping of troops after a cease fire.

These talks will run simultaneously with the current negotiations here between representatives of the two commands.

## New Soviet Demand Endangers Talks

Molotov Proposes Political Settlement In Indo-China Without Cease-Fire

GENEVA (AP)—Russia demanded today that the Indo-China peace conference begin discussions at once on a political settlement in the war-torn territory without waiting for an end of the fighting.

This was expected to precipitate a crisis in the peace talks since France has insisted from the beginning that a cease-fire agreement must be reached before such questions as elections should be taken up.

The talks for the last three weeks have been devoted almost exclusively to the military phases of the cease-fire, without any substantial progress.

Molotov proposed that the political and military discussions should be carried on in parallel tracks.

In the political phase, Molotov proposed that priority be given to questions pertaining to the sovereignty of the three Indo-Chinese states—Viet Nam, Laos, and Cambodia—and to the holding of free elections in those states. The withdrawal of foreign troops, he said, also should be considered.

### 'Phone Workers Get Increases

Approximately 300 employees here of the B.C. Telephone Company will get wage increases starting this month following two months of negotiations between the Federation of Telephone Workers and the company.

The agreement, effective for a two-year period, was arrived at in Vancouver and awarded 3 to 4 per cent increases for the first year to workers in plant and traffic division, and 2 per cent for the second year. A 4.4 per cent increase was awarded clerical division employees, numbering about 35 in Victoria.

### U.K. Market Drops

LIVERPOOL (Reuters)—Wheat market price drops here today reflected the week-end news that Canada and the United States were making reductions in their wheat export prices. Wheat delivery in October dropped as much as 5 1/2 pence (6 cents) to \$2.79 a hundred pounds.

### Auto Tax Stays-PM

OTTAWA (CP)—The federal government is not considering reducing the excise taxes on automobiles, Prime Minister St. Laurent said today.

## Royal City Arrests Linked With Kidnap

VANCOUVER (CP)—City police say they have "definitely" linked the four men arrested in New Westminster Sunday after a gunfight with the May 29 kidnapping of the manager of a Safeway store here.

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Later, three of the men drove



"I can't down Winnipeggers. They're bein' thankful 'day that the rains turned everything into a sea o' mud, otherwise there'd hev bin a terrible dust storm."

Bet it'll take longer 't git peace in Geneva than in Hanoi.

That couple that waited 48 years 't git married kin' at least claim they've never had a quarrel.

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# FINAL BULLETINS

## Woman Loses Life in B.C. Fire

VANCOUVER (CP)—Flames beat back a rescuer today when he attempted to save a woman trapped in her flaming cottage at Fishermen's Cove, eight miles northwest of here.

Mrs. Anna Donjon, 43, died in the fire after she slipped from the grasp of Emil Stalman in the smoke-filled kitchen of the cottage.

Stalman, owner of the rented cottage, suffered hand burns and needed hospital treatment.

William Donjon, 48-year-old husband of the woman, watched helplessly, driven from his home by the flames.

He collapsed as he watched the fire destroy his home.

## Nurses to Move HQ to Ottawa

BANFF, Alta. (CP)—The Canadian Nurses' Association decided today to transfer its national headquarters to Ottawa from Montreal.

A by-law legalizing the move has been approved unanimously by delegates to the biennial CNA convention here.

## Another U.S. Wheat Price Cut Seen

MELBOURNE (Reuters)—John McEwen, Australian Minister of Commerce and Agriculture, forecast tonight that the United States will again undercut the Canadian wheat price which was slashed Monday to meet a 10-cent cut made by the Americans Friday.

The possibility of a price war is viewed here with "the greatest apprehension." Australia has big wheat stocks at the moment and prospects of another bumper season.

## N. Saskatchewan River Runs Over

EDMONTON (CP)—The North Saskatchewan River rose more than 10 feet in the last 24 hours and today was running over backyards in low-lying areas here. However, city engineers said there were no signs of general flood conditions.

## Eden Proposes 5-Power Peace Body

GENEVA (Reuters)—Britain's Anthony Eden today formally proposed to the Indo-China conference that the five Asian powers represented at the Colombo Conference should be responsible for supervising an Indo-China peace.

## New Plan for Trieste Settlement

LONDON (AP)—Britain and the United States have secretly submitted new plans to Italy for settling her dispute with Yugoslavia over Trieste's future, diplomatic officials reported today.

They said the latest proposals, endorsed by Yugoslavia, modify the Anglo-American settlement suggested last October.

## RCAF Officer Killed in Crash

TRENTON, Ont. (CP)—An RCAF officer was killed and a non-commissioned officer critically injured today in the crash of an air force plane in a farmer's field about 20 miles southeast of here. The names of the victims were withheld by the RCAF pending notification of next-of-kin.

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Later, three of the men drove the manager to a residential district and pushed him out of the car.

The four men, arrested after they broke into the Dairyland milk plant in New Westminster, are escaped convict Gordon Thompson, John Michaelis, Bernard McIsaac and James Davidson.

## OVERNIGHT ENTRIES

HOLLYWOOD PARK	DELAWARE PARK
<b>FIRST RACE</b> 1—Self Defense, Count Cool, Frappo. 2—Evelyn, Vio, Gals, Second Down. 3—Nemha, Duke, Abe's Birthday. 4—First Aid, Kid, Now Dear, Jovie K. 5—Cobbler's Bench, Aramis, Dragon. 6—Half Castle, Lead Rev, Ze Pippin. 7—Bubbler, Ever Bright, Seasons Best. 8—Bar's Rock, Can Locate, Witch-Enrich. <b>Second Race</b> 1—Eland, Winging Along, Halcyon Duke. 2—Cup Man, Aschylus, Momus. 3—Legs, Linthicum, Four Chances. 4—Menelike, Atasha, Siv Viven. 5—En Raport, Succorra, Della. 6—Adopt, Requisition, Wendy. 7—Dry Vermouth, Ziv Away, Bester. 8—Lebanon Lad, Ed the Great, Romo. <b>Third Race</b> 1—Mile and 1-8. 2—Winging Along. 3—109. 4—Emergency Free. 5—117. 6—Eland 112. 7—Yellow Dot 109. 8—Borucia 114. <b>Fourth Race</b> 1—Five furlongs. 2—A-E-V's Warning. 3—B-On Fly 114. 4—A-Tax Cut 119. 5—B-Hitchhail, 111. 6—Entry. 7—B-R-U's. 8—Eland 112. <b>Fifth Race</b> 1—Six furlongs. 2—Limes Dream. 3—Siv Viven 116. 4—Whitewash 112. 5—Fantine Rusher. 6—Nalasha 113. 7—Hen Party 110. 8—Adopt 112. <b>Sixth Race</b> 1—Mile and 1-8. 2—Torch 110. 3—Vasco de Gama. 4—111. 5—Gladiator 107. 6—Adopt 118. 7—Blaney 116. 8—112. <b>Seventh Race</b> 1—E-Mile-and-1-8. 2—Ziv Away 112. 3—Dys Vornouth. 4—117. 5—Dinner Merion 117. 6—Disasterful 122. 7—Entry. 8—112. <b>Eighth Race</b> 1—Mile and 1-8. 2—Lebanon Lad 118. 3—Branham 103. 4—Bomas 108. 5—Maryland Lane. 6—112. 7—Bottle of Ink 123. 8—112.	<b>FIRST RACE</b> 1—Five furlongs. 2—Frappo 118. 3—Count Cool 118. 4—Ramsbottom 118. 5—Self Defense 118. 6—Purse Speed 118. 7—Chill Bravo 118. 8—Harmony Bell 118. <b>Second Race</b> 1—Six furlongs. 2—Viper 114. 3—Bumble Bee 113. 4—Flying Arrow 108. 5—Grand Master 113. 6—Silver Wire 113. 7—Anselmo 108. 8—Viper 114. <b>Third Race</b> 1—Mile and sixteen. 2—Rush Me 114. 3—Piper 112. 4—Touho Pal 115. 5—Jesse Linton 109. 6—Bull Patch 114. 7—Castling 114. 8—Bombay Duck 114. <b>Fourth Race</b> 1—Five furlongs. 2—Glorv Z 118. 3—A-New Deal 118. 4—A-Bell O Shan-don 110. 5—Entry. 6—A-Entry. 7—A-Entry. 8—A-Entry. <b>Fifth Race</b> 1—Six furlongs. 2—Lakoutis 114. 3—Dragon's Head 119. 4—Armo 109. 5—The Pariah 108. 6—Kings 114. 7—Cobbler's Bench 114. 8—A-Entry. <b>Sixth Race</b> 1—Six furlongs. 2—Lead Rev 108. 3—Rico Vito 116. 4—Stab-Bull 113. 5—Bivardo 111. 6—Marcell 113. 7—A-Entry. 8—A-Entry. <b>Seventh Race</b> 1—Six furlongs. 2—Dms Bam 104. 3—Royal Grace 118. 4—Ever Bright 113. 5—Fantine Jane 118. 6—A-Entry. 7—A-Entry. 8—A-Entry. <b>Eighth Race</b> 1—One mile. 2—Purshill Rev 113. 3—Cinder-Roy 116. 4—Purshill Rev 116. 5—Cinder-Roy 116. 6—Purshill Rev 113. 7—Purshill Rev 113. 8—Purshill Rev 113.

# \$4 MILLION DAMAGE ON PORTAGE AVE.

# WINNIPEG FIRE RAZES 5 OFFICE BUILDINGS

## New Soviet Demand Endangers Talks

Molotov Proposes Political Settlement In Indo-China Without Cease-Fire

GENEVA (AP)—Russia demanded today that the Indo-China peace conference begin discussions at once on a political settlement in the war-torn territory without waiting for an end of the fighting.

This was expected to precipitate a crisis in the peace talks since France has insisted from the beginning that a cease-fire agreement must be reached before such questions as elections should be taken up.

The talks for the last three weeks have been devoted almost exclusively to the military phases of a cease-fire, without any substantial progress.

Molotov proposed that the political and military discussions should be carried on in parallel talks.

In the political phase, Molotov proposed that priority be given to questions pertaining to the sovereignty of the three Indo-Chinese states—Viet Nam, Laos and Cambodia—and to the holding of free elections in those states. The withdrawal of foreign troops, he said, also should be considered.

## Boilermakers Back at Work Tomorrow

Await Ruling On Suspension

Boilermakers will return to work at HMC Dockyard Wednesday morning after a five-day suspension imposed for a sympathy walk-out Friday.

They will pick up their tools again pending a final decision from Ottawa in the dispute over "dirty-money" pay.

Seven union leaders on Friday morning walked off the job when refused "dirty-money" pay of time and one-quarter. They were suspended for five days on orders of Commodore B. R. Spencer, superintendent of Dockyard.

Later in the morning an additional 120 union men walked out in sympathy, and were also given five-day suspensions.

Dockyard officials said today the suspension was for five calendar days and not for five working days.

"When all the facts are in, in the present dispute, then we will take appropriate action," said Jack Cornthwaite, business agent for Machinists, Fitters and Helpers (CCL) this morning.

Dockyard boilermakers were holding a general membership meeting this afternoon on the dispute.

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### RACE RESULTS

#### HOLLYWOOD PARK

First Race—(Longdon) \$3.40 \$7.60 \$2.20  
Deer's Girl (Wachner) 5.60 7.20  
Miss Prude (Vannuola) 3.20  
Time—38 4-5.  
Second Race—  
Shatter (Scutlock) \$15.10 \$5.50 \$3.70  
East Indies (Pur) 5.10 5.60  
Dover Rock (Ruggier) 4.30  
Time—1:24 1-3.

#### LINCOLN FIELDS

First Race—  
Hasty Hank (Hidwin) \$10.60 \$6.00 \$4.80  
Deer's Girl (Wachner) 10.60 7.20  
Milnick (Cox) 3.20  
Time—1:03 3-5.  
Second Race—  
Mighty Nice (Popara) \$10.80 \$5.40 \$3.00  
Be Swayer (Cox) 15.20 5.80  
Calamitimer (Erb) 3.20  
Time—1:15 3-5.  
Third Race—  
Touraine (Erb) \$8.20 \$5.00 \$3.80  
Phillip's Pal (Wickel) 5.40 5.40  
Sunny Mrs (Cox) 5.40  
Time—1:02 3-5.  
Fourth Race—  
Roman Heart (Brks) \$7.40 \$5.00 \$4.00  
Ludlow (Erb) 22.00 11.40  
Argument (Bailey) 8.80  
Time—1:01 4-5.  
Fifth Race—  
Eternal Shock (Wickel) \$9.00 \$4.80 \$3.60  
Coded Message (Popara) 6.40 4.80  
Goregon's Miss (Bailey) 3.20  
Time—1:14 4-5.  
Sixth Race—  
Koritz (Armstrong) \$15.80 \$6.70 \$3.60  
Chance Snow (Knapp) 9.40 4.90  
Idle Platter (Baldwin) 2.80  
Time—1:28 3-5.

## Vancouver Stocks

There were few transactions during a quiet afternoon session on the Vancouver stock exchange today.

Local sales: 500 United Oil 1.06, 100 Del Rio 1.51, 1,000 Northwest Ventures 21.40, Liberal Pete 2.14, 200 Consolidated MicMac 2.30, 500 Hamill Lead 1.54, 2,500 Mid-West Gas 1.78, 1,500 Hargal Oil 8 1/4, 100 Coast Breweries 4.35.

## LIVERPOOL (Reuters)

Wheat market price drops here today reflected the week-end news that Canada and the United States were making reductions in their wheat export prices. Wheat delivery in October dropped as much as 5 1/2 pence (6 cents) to \$2.79 a hundred pounds.



SIR EDMUND HILLARY

## In Excellent Health Sir Edmund Reports

NEW DELHI (Reuters)—A telegram signed by Sir Edmund Hillary, reporting himself "in excellent condition," reached the Indian capital today.

The message from the conqueror of Mount Everest, who had been reported suffering from pneumonia while leading an expedition to the Himalayan peak of Makalu, said: "Regret unnecessary concern my health but am now in excellent condition."

It was addressed to the offices of the British high commissioner, Sir Alexander Chatterback, in response to a broadcast appeal for information about Hillary.

The telegram had been sent from Joghani on the Nepal frontier, Monday, having presumably been brought there by a native runner. Hillary and other members of his 10-man New Zealand expedition to 27,990-foot Mount Makalu are expected to reach Joghani within a week.

James McFarlane, a member of the expedition who was injured earlier in a fall down a 401.6 at the Olympic Stadium tonight.

## Bonner Orders Probe Into TV Company

VANCOUVER (CP)—Attorney-General Robert Bonner has ordered an investigation into the affairs of Industrial Radio-electric Enterprises Ltd. and 13 related companies.

The inquiry was ordered under the British Columbia Securities Act following complaints received by the B.C. Securities Department.

The investigation will be conducted by Robert F. Gardiner, a chartered accountant.

I.R.E. manufacturers of television sets, started bankruptcy proceedings last week following the opening of a series of court cases under B.C. labor laws.

The company's plant on suburban Lulu Island was also placed under seizure by Sheriff S. F. M. Moodie on orders from Ottawa in connection with \$8,000 arrears in federal excise tax payments.

**OL' VIC SAYS:**

Y' can't down Winnipeggers. They're bein' thankful t' day that th' rains turned 'everything' into a sea o' mud, otherwise there'd hev bin a terrible dust storm.

But it'll take longer 't git peace in Geneva than in Hanou.

That couple they waited 48 years 't git married kin' at least claim they've never had a quarrel.

## Firemen Fight Blaze 7 Hours

(From CP and UP Dispatches)

WINNIPEG—Four large office buildings and a dozen business establishments today were destroyed in a fire which engulfed part of downtown Portage Avenue in a liquid pattern of flames. A fifth building was razed on Hargrave Street.

Damage was estimated at between \$2 and \$4 million.

Not until seven hours after the fire broke out in the seven-story Time building could firemen class it as under control.

From the Time building—nothing but a shell and a pile of rubble—the flames boiled in three directions under a gale which hit Winnipeg with gusts of 70 miles an hour.

## 72-Mile-Hour Winds Wreak Manitoba Havoc

WINNIPEG (CP)—Winds which came close to hurricane force snatched power and communications facilities away from southern Manitoba Monday and early today and then lifted roofs and uprooted trees as they lay in the dark.

Driving rains accompanied the winds, which fired gusts of 72 miles an hour. Hundreds of Winnipeg homes were left without electricity and telephone and telegraph lines were put out of commission.

Police cars answered calls to all parts of the city to stand guard over fallen wires.

The winds, which switched from south to southwest during the night, also struck Ontario and the Kenora highway was littered today with broken poles, trees and wires.

Children's hospital was without power for nine hours. It has no auxiliary plant.

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## Landy Mile: 4.01.6

STOCKHOLM (AP)—Australia's champion miller John Landy won his mile race in 4:01.6 at the Olympic Stadium tonight.

## B.C. RATEPAYERS' GROUP GROWING

NEW WESTMINSTER (CP)—Surrey municipality Monday became the first mainland group to join the Federation of B.C. Ratepayers' Association, formed last month at Nanaimo. The action was taken at an organizational meeting of Surrey Ratepayers' Council.

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## No Cut Rate Wheat Price War Desired by U.S. or Canada-PM

OTTAWA (CP)—Prime Minister St. Laurent said today there is no desire by Canada or the United States to get into a cut-rate price war on sales of wheat abroad.

He made the statement in the Commons as Progressive Conservative and CCF members posed question after question concerning the decision of Canada and the U.S. to cut the price of wheat.

The U.S. cut export wheat prices 10 cents a bushel last Friday and Canada reduced her price by 10 cents Monday.

Trade Minister Howe also told the House that he expects exports of grain this year will be the third or fourth highest on record.

Opposition Leader Drew asked Mr. St. Laurent to make a statement of government policy on the market of Canada's surplus wheat.

Mr. St. Laurent said he is not in a position to announce any policy different from that followed by the government to the present.

SUGGESTS CO-OPERATE

Hazen Argue (CCF-Assiniboia) suggested Canada and the United States co-operate on wheat sales abroad to prevent the present situation deteriorating into a price war.

Mr. St. Laurent said he could assure Mr. Argue that discussions between responsible representatives of the U.S. government and Canadian officials showed there is no desire on the part of Canada or the U.S. "to get into a cut-rate war."

Mr. Argue also noted what he described as an 83 per cent drop in barley exports during the four weeks ended May 26.

## BORN ON BLUSTERY DAY

## 70th Anniversary Of Times Tomorrow

Tomorrow, June 9, The Victoria Daily Times is 70 years old. Today it discovered that history has a strange way of repeating itself.

On the first publication day, June 9, 1884, elaborate arrangements had been made to bring world news into Victoria by telegraph service. But a violent storm in the northwest broke down communications and the first issue was almost entirely devoted to news of local events.

Today—the hurricane-like winds sweeping the prairies put the national wire service of both Canadian Press and British United Press out of service for several hours.

Modern communication methods made it possible to rush the bulk of the daily news report into The Times by re-routing messages and quick repairs, and provided a sharp illustration of the huge strides that have been made in the intervening 70 years.

To mark its anniversary tomorrow The Times will publish a special page relating its own history in brief, and telling the story of the growth of southern Vancouver Island through the eyes of the only three people in this area who were born here in June, 1884, and are still living here.